

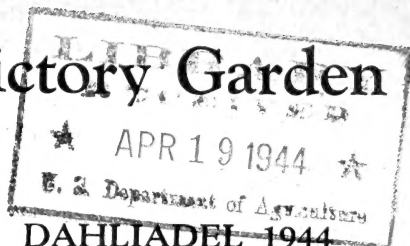
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# Dahlias For Your 1944 Victory Garden



DAHLIADEL 1944

## INTRODUCTION

**THE DRAGON** (Corbett-Dahlia 85A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 4½ ft. A large Informal Decorative in that lovely fall apricot shade. The petals actually are apricot in the center edged lengthwise on both sides with rose pink. A rugged, insect-resistant plant which takes Texas climate in its stride. This dahlia will soon be in the list of standards, as it will grow and produce for anybody that can grow dahlias at all. It will also stand good culture without going to pieces. Scored 85 at Canyon, Texas, and 84 at Storrs. An excellent root maker, and we are sure you will like it.

Root, \$10.00; Plant, \$5.00



# DAHLIAS

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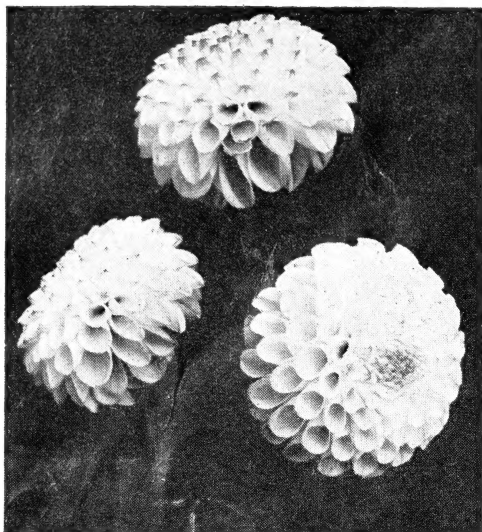
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1944

**POTASH-FED  
DAHLIAS**

**Jeep**

Make your VICTORY GARDEN more decorative and interesting with Dahlias. In curtailing our acreage of dahlias and producing edibles for the War Effort, we have discarded many of the temperamental varieties, making our offerings this year the easiest to grow and most satisfactory group of dahlias for your needs.

We are this year condensing our catalog to 32 pages to conserve paper, and expect to use it for two years, publishing only a supplement for 1945. Therefore, kindly save this catalog.

We have a limited number of reprints of the **Cultural Instructions** in our 1942 catalog, and will be glad to include one of these with your order on request should you be a new customer and not already have a copy.

**ORDER WITHOUT DELAY** so that we may reserve your order. There is a shortage of stock this year, and a number of varieties have the notation. *Roots limited.* This means that a small supply of roots has been put aside for retail trade, but will be sold out before our regular shipping season starts. If your order is placed after mid-season, kindly give a second choice. Owing to the shortage of stock, kindly indicate on your order whether or not you want us to substitute.

It is our suggestion that you make a Victory Garden where you have been growing dahlias or would like to grow them. You can so arrange your rows that dahlias can be planted between your vegetables. You can grow any or all of the early vegetables by planting lettuce, onion sets, radishes, or early peas where dahlias should be planted later, and early beans, beets, carrots, etc. so that they will be between the dahlia rows. Double cropping, or rotation of crops, is good for the soil, and takes very little more fertilizer, but insects should be kept under control.

### ROOTS

Dahlia roots are divisions of field-grown clumps of dahlias. Each root must contain at least one "eye" from which the plant grows. Sturdy stalks or plants and fine exhibition flowers grow from roots, and strong clumps harvested for the following season. As the planted root acts as a food storehouse for the

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**JEEP** (DahliaDel 85B), Bloom 4 x 3, Bush 4 ft. A striking Ball Dahlia of white suffused violet rose and tipped purple violet. The picture, taken November 1st, shows its ability to hold full centers until frost. The color, however, is much more pronounced in the early season than this picture shows. As the name implies, it is first on the spot, and blooms early and profusely. Certified at Storrs, and a novelty that is different and sure to please.

**Root, \$5.00; Pot Root, \$3.50; Plant, \$2.00**

growing plant, the growth of the plant is thus stabilized under adverse growing conditions.

### POT ROOTS

Pot roots are small clumps produced by plants grown mostly in 3" pots in the open during the late Summer, and transferred in the Fall to greenhouses where they are grown under controlled conditions, and allowed to ripen naturally by the end of December. Pot roots should not be judged adversely because of their size, as they will produce bushes and flowers equal to roots, and in many varieties even better clumps on digging. Many experienced growers prefer pot roots.

### GREEN PLANTS

Green plants are sprouts or cuttings taken from clumps grown in especially built greenhouses; rooted in sand benches in air-conditioned propagating houses; potted and grown under greenhouse conditions until well established and then moved to cold frames for proper hardening off. When they reach you they are ready for planting.

Many hundreds of thousands have been grown and shipped by us, and our customers have found them highly satisfactory. They are, as you will notice in our lists, considerably cheaper than roots in the higher priced varieties.

Green plants will produce flowers equal to roots or pot roots when well grown for exhibition, but will not produce as large clumps for the following season. When properly grown, however, many varieties will produce nice clumps.

DahliaDel green plants, in our specially designed shipping box, have been successfully sent all over the United States. See "Notice on Green Plant and Rooted Cutting Shipments," page 31.

### ROOTED CUTTINGS

Rooted cuttings are sprouts or cuttings grown exactly as described under green plants (see above) up to the point where a good root system has developed. Rooted cuttings are, this year, being produced and handled in a different way. They will be wrapped separately in live sphagnum moss and grown in this for a short period before shipping, and should be potted or planted out without removing the moss or disturbing the roots established in the moss. We expect this new type of cutting to take the place of plants to a greater extent than at present, especially on long distance shipments.

**Rooted cuttings are 1/3 less in price than plants.** We will probably be out of rooted cuttings of some of the new varieties as the season advances. However, we are growing some varieties that are not listed, so send in the list of ones in which you are interested and we will gladly advise you.





## 1944 INTRODUCTIONS of Other Growers

### Plants grown from Originator's or Introducer's Stock

**ALMINA** (Rivel-Premier 85A), SC or StC, Bloom  $10\frac{1}{2} \times 5$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. One of the best large dahlias at Storrs this past season, and certified there. A clear light lemon yellow which reminds one of the old Alice Whittier. Has plenty of substance and good stems. Sure to be a winner. Plant, \$5.00

**EDGAR A. GUEST** (Lakeside 85A-B), SC or ID, Bloom  $7-9 \times 6$ , Bush 5 ft. A wonderful sulphur yellow which certified at Storrs. An outstanding vigorous grower with good stems. Early and profuse, and recommended for all climates. Plant, \$5.00 NET

**GAYLORD BALLAY** (Ballay 85A), ID. A pure white that the introducer grows to 14 inches. Recommended as the finest dahlia introduced by Ballay, and a real winner. Won the Sunset and Achievement Medals at San Francisco. Well recommended. Plant, \$7.50

**JOHN ADAMS KERNOCHAN** (Fioretti-Parrella 85B), FD, Bloom  $7 \times 5$ , Bush 5 ft. A most striking bi-color of garnet red tipped white. Blooms are of good form and substance, and are held on long graceful stems. Plant, \$5.00

**MOTHER KOENIG** (Lakeside 85A), ID, Bloom  $10 \times 6$ , Bush 5 ft. An Achievement Medal winner of a very appealing color. Shrimp pink blending to yellow toward the center. The serrated petals make it most attractive. Does not burn in hot weather. On the Flower Grower Honor Roll. Plant, \$5.00 NET

**NATION'S PRIDE** (Heil 85A), ID, Bloom  $9\frac{1}{2} \times 6$ , Bush  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A beautiful blend of apricot suffused peach red and Tyrian rose. Similar to Jane Cowl in form and Sunrays in growth. Rugged grower, strong erect stems, profuse and early. Won Achievement Medal at Pittsburgh. Certified at Storrs and one of the best of the large dahlias there this past season. Plant, \$5.00

**ROSELYN STRAIGHT** (Straight-Ruschmohr 85A), SC, Bloom  $10 \times 6$ , Bush 5 ft. Saffron or orange with peach red suffusion. A color hard to describe, but a bright spot for any exhibit or garden. Certified at Storrs and W. Va. in 1942 with high scores. Plant, \$7.50

**SARETT'S PINK FLAMINGO** (Sarett-Ruschmohr 85A-B), IC, Bloom  $8-9 \times 5$ , Bush  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Here is a winner of three Achievement Medals and on all three Honor Rolls. A lovely deep rose pink shading lighter. A fine grower and an early and continuous bloomer. Plant, \$7.50

**SHERWOOD'S PEACH** (Sherwood-Ruschmohr 85A), ID, Bloom  $11 \times 7$ . An orange apricot of a softer tone than Sunrays. A real contender for the "largest bloom class." Cane-like stems with insect resistant foliage. Rather slow developing so should be planted early. Plant, \$7.50

**WORLD EVENT** (Dixie 85A), ID, Bloom  $9 \times 7$ , Bush 5 ft. An exquisite bright Tyrian rose of fine size with a high center. On all three Honor Rolls and certified at Storrs and East Lansing. Grows well in all sections of the country. Plant, \$5.00



**MME. X.** (85A), SC, Bloom  $10 \times 5$ , Bush 5 ft. A variety of unknown name, which came to us mixed in imported stock. This dahlia has bloomed profusely and consistently for us for the past three years, and we felt it too good to ignore. A rich oxblood red, very similar to Yowa Matsuoka, except some of the flowers have a lighter stripe in the center of each petal. Strong grower, free bloomer, and a good root maker. Root, \$1.00

## 1944 INTRODUCTIONS of Other Growers

### SMALL VARIETIES

**BUDDY** (Lakeside 85), M FD, Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A rich bright carmine with oxblood red center. Fine for cutting. Profuse and early, with long stems. Certified at Storrs in 1943 and E. Lansing in 1942. Plant, \$2.00 NET

**CHICO** (Chappaqua 85), M ID, Bloom  $3 \times 2$ . A beautiful scarlet Miniature for cutting that won several prizes in the New York Show. Has long stems, and is a good keeper. Plant, \$1.50

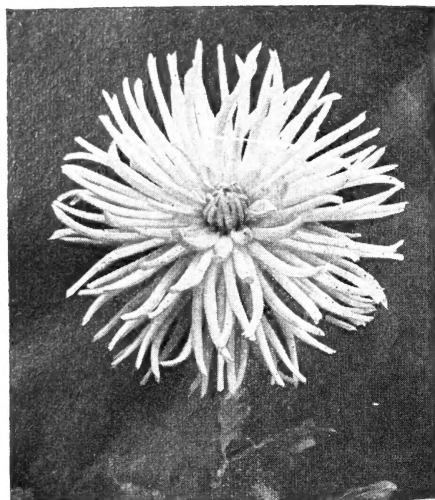
**CORAL BLEND** (Doermann 86), M FD, Bloom  $3\frac{1}{4} \times 2\frac{1}{4}$ , Bush 5 ft. A most pleasing blend of clear buff suffused Tyrian rose with a yellow center. A rugged grower with all the good points one could wish for. Certified at Storrs this past season and one of the best Miniatures there. Plant, \$2.00

**LITTLE BUDDY** (Lakeside 85M), M Ba, Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A soft lemon yellow that looks like a good cut flower. Plenty of substance. Profuse and early. Certified at Storrs. Plant, \$2.00 NET

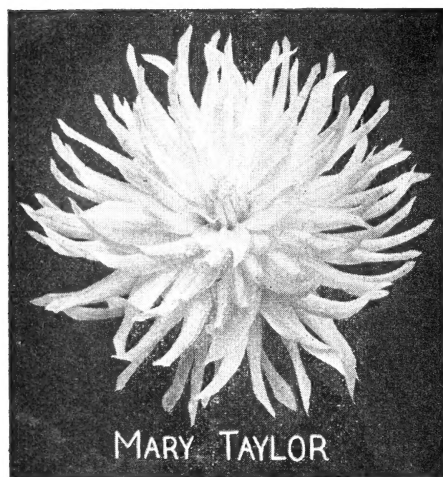
**RED DELIGHT** (Doermann 85), Coll, Bloom 5, Bush  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A striking violet red Collarette with a yellow collar. Has perfect stems. Certified at Maryland in 1942 and W. Va. in 1943 and on the Western Honor Roll. Early and profuse. Plant, \$2.00



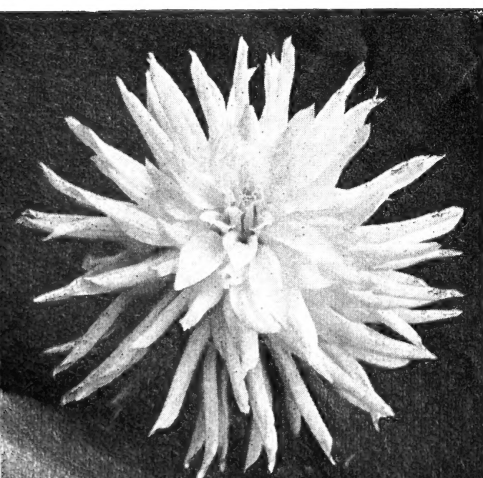
## STRAIGHT CACTUS DAHLIAS



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MARY TAYLOR



HILLSIDE GOLD

**BALLERINA** (Frank 85B) Bloom  $7\frac{1}{2} \times 4$ , Bush 5 ft. Light salmon orange shaded peach red. Flowers held in good position on long stems. Bush growth vigorous. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**CAPT. CEDARQUIST** (Frank 85B), 1941, Bloom  $6 \times 4$ , Bush 4 ft. Bright salmon orange, shading to a lighter tone at tips. A fine cut flower and exhibition variety. Root, \$1.00

**DR. HELMUTH SPAT** (Topsvoort 83B), Bloom  $5 \times 2$ , Bush 4 ft. Clear light lilac in color, which is fine for florist work. Stems long and straight. Blooms profusely. Root, .35

**DULCINEA** (Bruidegom 84B), Bloom  $6 \times 3$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Soft crimson red with long pointed petals. Stems long and wiry. Decidedly worthwhile. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50

**ELLA MAY** (Prentice-Dahliadel 85B), Bloom  $7 \times 5$ , Bush 5 ft. A deep crimson carmine. While the color is dark, flower is quite distinctive. Stem excellent and centers full. Root, .35

**FRAU IDA MANSFIELD** (Schöne 85B), Bloom  $7 \times 4$ , Bush  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Clear pale lemon color. Petals revolute and are cleft which gives the flower the appearance of extreme fullness. Early, profuse and still a favorite. Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**HILLSIDE GOLD** (Hillside 85B), Bloom  $7\frac{1}{2} \times 4$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Golden yellow with a beautiful apricot glow. Bushes branch naturally and flowers are held well above foliage. Fine for exhibition, cutting and baskets. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**IRENE DUNNE** (Wells-Ruschmohr 85A), 1943, Bloom  $9 \times 5\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 6 ft. An attractive phlox pink and mauve, with a much lighter center. Foliage is medium dark. Profuse. Achievement Medal Winner at Scranton. Root, \$7.50; Pot Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$3.50

**JERSEY DAINTY** (Waite 85B), Bloom  $7 \times 3$ , Bush 5 ft. White which is faintly tinged lavender, but is almost pure white late in season. Fine for exhibiting and cutting. Bloom held on long, straight stems. Healthy plant growth. Root, .35

**MARIETTA E** (Eldridge-Dahliadel 85B), Bloom  $7 \times 3$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Clear sun-resistant canary yellow. Has many winnings. Certified at Storrs. A fine variety when well grown, but not vigorous under ordinary culture. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**MARY TAYLOR** (Taylor 86B), Bloom  $7\frac{1}{2} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 5 ft. Rosy flesh suffused yellow at center. A fine and unusual dahlia. Scored 86 at Storrs and 85 at E. Lansing and W. Va. Bush growth open with ideal stems. Fine for cutting. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**MRS. HERBERT O'CONOR** (Berwick-Dahliadel 85A), Bloom  $9 \times 5$ , Bush  $5\frac{1}{2}$  ft. An artistic dahlia, bright rose pink shading to deep rose pink at center. Bush tall. Profuse bloomer. Stems strong, and flowers face nicely. Root, .75; Plant, .50

**ORANGE PRINCESS** (Geneva 85B), 1942, Bloom  $7\frac{1}{2} \times 4$ , Bush 5 ft. This unusual Cactus is orange red at center shading to true orange at tips. Stems strong and centers full. Keeps well, and is most attractive. A poor root maker. Plant, \$1.50

**SAARLAND'S HEIMKEHR** (Woditscka 85B), Bloom  $7 \times 4$ , Bush 3 ft. Deep rose pink shading to and tipped pale lemon. Fine slender petals. Full centers all season, with excellent stems. Award of Honor, Ga. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**SNOWBALL** (Stredwick 85B), 1942, Bloom  $7 \times 4$ , Bush 4 ft. Pure white of fine form. Round narrow petals reflex and incurve. Good for exhibiting when disbudded. Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**THE OHIOAN** (Frank 84B), Bloom  $6\frac{1}{2} \times 5$ , Bush 5 ft. Color, bright peach red, almost spectrum red. Flowers evenly formed, good centers, strong stems. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**WINTER MORN** (Dahliadel 85B), 1942, Bloom  $7\frac{1}{2} \times 4$ , Bush 4 ft. A new white sport of Frau Ida Mansfield with the same good qualities of its parent, and plenty of vitality. An unusual keeper and a wonderful cut flower. A deep flower most appealing in form. Won many prizes. Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50



## INCURVED CACTUS DAHLIAS

**DOMINANT** (Bruidegom 85A-B), Bloom 8 x 5, Bush 4 ft. Rose pink suffused lilac changing to sulphur yellow at center. Artistic flowers are held in perfect position on long strong stems. Bush growth rugged. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**FLASH** (Salem 84A-85B), Bloom 8 x 5, Bush 4 1/2 ft. A striking and unusual bi-color. Petals are crimson with white tips. Serrated doubly with serrations pointing in opposite directions. Substance of flower might be better. Like many bi-colors, some blooms are marked irregularly. Root, \$1.00, Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**GAIL KEPPEL** (Anderson 85B), 1943, Bloom 7 x 3 1/2. A pleasing bright rose shading lighter at tips with a yellow cast at center. Healthy rugged grower, with good foliage. Very profuse. Winner at New York, and on Dudley's Honor Roll. Plant, \$3.00

**GOLDEN STANDARD** (Downs 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 4 1/2 ft. A warm buff shaded amber and gold. Very pleasing in form with full centers. At times it is inclined to be a Straight Cactus. A good open grower. Excellent stems. Roots limited. Root, .50

**HILLSIDE BEAUTY** (Hillside 84B), 1941, Bloom 7 x 5, Bush 4 ft. Apricot with Tyrian rose suffusion and on reverse. Listed on Dudley's Honor Roll and the Futurity. Cert. at Storrs. Root, \$1.50

**JULIUS C. BUNGE** (Carlee 85B), Bloom 7 x 4, Bush 4 1/2 ft. A pure bright pink, varying in form to Semi-Cactus. Bush growth good with heavy foliage. Early and profuse. A fair root maker. Roots limited. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**MISS OHIO** (Frank 85B), Bloom 7 x 5 1/2, Bush 5 ft. Color, lilac suffused deep rose pink. Center always full, and blooms profusely from early until frost. Slender but rigid stems. Certified at Storrs. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**MISS WAHROONGA** (Australia 84B), Bloom 7 x 3 1/2, Bush 3 1/2 ft. Deep velvety crimson. A strong grower with good stems. Early and profuse. Medium sized blooms of good form and substance. Very profuse. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

**MME. C. JUSSIANT** (Nagels 85B), Bloom 8 x 4, Bush 4 ft. Soft violet inclined to lavender. The best Incurved Cactus in its color. A popular lavender cut flower for the florists, and also fine for exhibiting. Early and prolific. Root, .75; Plant, .50

**NANCY ANN MITCHELL** (Mitchell-Ruschmohr 85B), Bloom 7 1/2 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Vivid scarlet of good size and depth. Bush healthy with leathery foliage. Early and always good. Fine for baskets and arrangements. Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**RED SPIDER** (Dahliadel 84A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. An English type Cactus of deep crimson. Robust growing plant branching nicely, but has weak stems. Root, .50

**REGALIA** (Ballay 85A), 1942, Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4 ft. A bright soft rhodamine purple with a lighter reverse. It has self-colored and white petaloids. Good strong stems, and profuse. Roots limited. Root, \$3.00; Plant, \$1.50

**RHYTHM**, 1943. See Page 32.

**ROYAL PURCHASE** (Salem 84A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Color is straw yellow with outer petals suffused pink. Has long slender petals which revolute. Blooms are deep. stems are good. Root, .50

**SNOWCREST** (Alexander-Dahliadel 85B), 1941, Bloom 7 x 4 1/2, Bush 4 ft. A very much needed pure white Incurved Cactus on long stiff slender stems. A real cut flower and a winner in any show. Winner of Flower Grower and American Home Awards. Certified at two Trial Grounds, on Honor Roll and Futurity. Likes rich soil. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

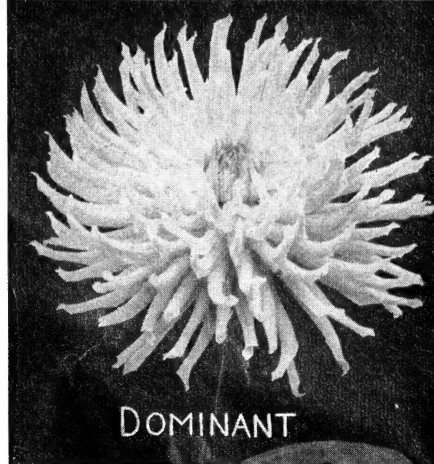
**SON OF SATAN** (Slocum 85A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Bright scarlet with strong stems. The petals revolute sufficiently to bring it into the Incurved Cactus Class, but occasionally a Semi-Cactus. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**STALIN** (Zazo 86B), 1943, Bloom 7 x 4, Bush 6 ft. A clear, bright and attractive scarlet. Has health and vigor, and is profuse. Outstanding for its color. Scored 86 at Storrs and does exceptionally well for us. Root, \$5.00; Pot Root, \$3.50; Plant, \$2.00

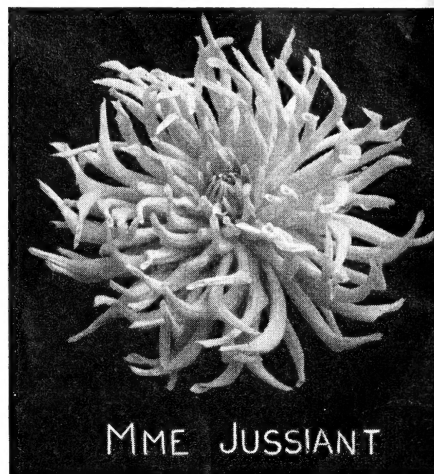
**STEPHEN FOSTER** (Salem 85A), 1942, Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 6 ft. A fine shade of buff suffused scarlet. Petals are nicely curled and twisted and bush is exceedingly tall and rugged. Won many prizes. Stock healthy, but roots limited. Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$2.00

**THE RANGER** (Salem 85B), 1943, Bloom 8 x 4, Bush 7 ft. True purple with white veins running the length of the petals and reverse of pure white, which shows as petals curl. Rugged and prolific. Plant, \$2.00

**YELLOW GIANT** (Ballego 85B), Bloom 8 x 4, Bush 4 1/2 ft. Soft clear lemon of very fine form. Stems long and flowers held well. Bush growth open and rugged. Centers full and back good. Early and profuse. Certified at Storrs. Root, \$1.00

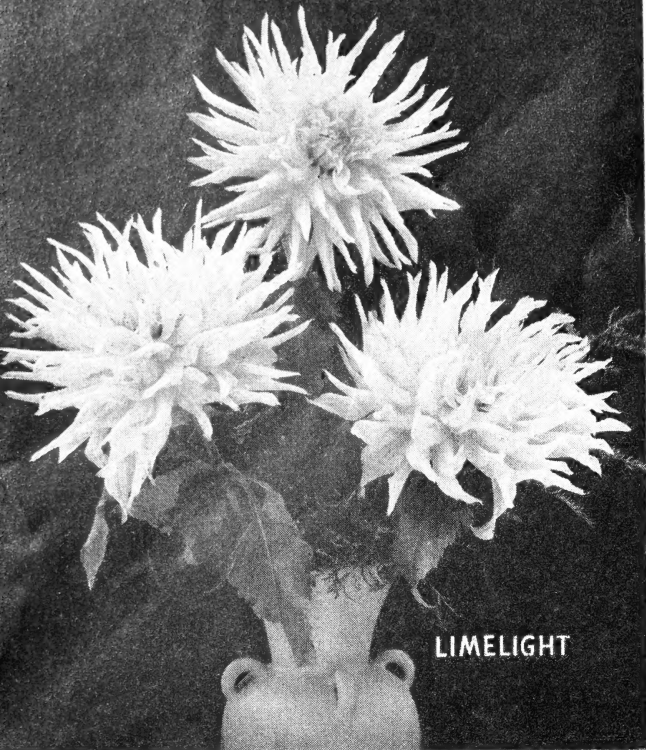


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LIMELIGHT

## SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS

**AMERICAN PURITY** (American D.F. 85A), Bloom 10 x 8, Bush 4½ ft. A fine, large, deep white on strong erect stems. Substance and keeping qualities make it ideal for exhibition. Bush growth and foliage good. Achievement Medal winner and still found in many shows.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

**ANDRE CSIZIK** (Ballego 84B), Bloom 5½ x 3, Bush 5 ft. Intense bright violet rose. Stems good, holding flowers in good position. Early and profuse. Fine for cutting and home use.

Root, .50

**BETTE DAVIS** (Cordes 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5½ ft. A rosy lavender of very fine form. Stem strong and flower held in good position. Bush growth robust and foliage heavy. Poor root maker. Roots limited.

Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**DOROTHY LAMOUR** (Ballay 85A), 1941, Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 5 ft. A brilliant cadmium orange, unusual in a dahlia. Blooms of fine form of exhibition quality on long strong stems. However, petals revolute enough to qualify as a Straight Cactus much of the time. A dahlia of unusual merit.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**FIGARO** (85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A variegated color sport of Satan, good striped scarlet. Resembles Satan in size and growing qualities. Very spectacular and satisfactory. A good keeper, and fine for exhibition.

Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**FRAU O. BRACHT** (Berger 85A), Bloom 9 x 4½, Bush 5 ft. Color, clear primrose yellow. A Semi-Cactus but some blooms revolute enough to qualify it as a Cactus. Bush somewhat temperamental. Roots limited.

Root, .75; Plant, .50

**GREATER GLORY** (Salem 85A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A tall, vigorous bush with healthy foliage, and very artistic blooms. A Semi-Cactus but at the end of the season the petals roll, coming close to a Cactus. Deep rose pink shading to sulphur yellow at center. Winner of many prizes.

Plant, .50

**GRETEL** (Bauer 83B), Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 3½ ft. Color, a soft fiery red. This variety is very satisfactory for cutting as it is early, profuse, and a good keeper.

Root, .35

**INDIAN SUMMER** (Goetzger 85A), 1942, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Golden yellow with soft orange suffusion. The bush is tall and rugged, with excellent foliage. Stems long, good for cutting. On Futurity and Honor Roll. Achievement Medal winner and certified at O.V.D.A. Enjoys good culture.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**LIMELIGHT** (DahliaDel 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 3 ft. Pointed petals of soft sulphur yellow with blooms larger and deeper but similar to Frau O. Bracht, and a variety that is much easier to grow. A semi-dwarf growing bush that fits into landscape planting. Not easily damaged by storms. It has erect stems, long enough for cutting and exhibition when disbudded and is prolific in blooms.

Root, .75

**MARIE O'KEEFE** (Garfield 85A), 1943, Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Orange chrome shading to golden yellow at base. Named for Eddie O'Keefe's wife. Winner at New York, and a variety which should become very popular.

Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$2.00

**PYGMALION** (Holland 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Very attractive large orange-tan flowers suffused peach red. Petals incurve, and at times revolute enough to qualify as an Incurved Cactus. Healthy and rugged, with good stems.

Plant, \$1.00

**ROULETTE** (Johnson 85B), Bloom 7 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. An appealing variety of bright Phlox pink with a white center. Artistic and unique petal formation, incurved and serrated.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**SATAN** (Ballay 84A), Bloom 10 x 4, Bush 6 ft. Color, scarlet with yellow on reverse of petals showing at the center. Stems are very long but may need some support in wet weather. Flowers are showy and keep well when cut.

Root, .50

**SUN TAN** (Chappaqua 85A-B), 1943, Bloom 8-10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. This is an attractive orange chrome with a bronzy sheen. A good strong grower. High centers, narrow petals, and fine form. Keeps well when cut. Easy to grow. Roots limited.

Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$2.00

**ZUIWN** (Foreign 85B), Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 3 ft. A bright crimson carmine of very pleasing form on wiry stems. At times a Straight Cactus. Excellent for cutting.

Root, .50

### FREE ROOT OFFER DISCONTINUED

We regret that, owing to present conditions, we find it necessary to discontinue our Free Root Offer.

Our Collections, however, on page 28, are made up of the most select list of dahlias we have ever used. They are all fine dahlias, good root makers, and easy to grow.



## SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS—Cont'd

**ALL-AMERICAN** (Salem 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 6 ft. Soft carmine with orange undertone. A finely formed dahlia which has won many awards. On Honor Rolls, Futurity, and an Award of Honor, Ga. Easy to grow and very satisfactory.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**BALLEGO'S SURPRISE** (Ballego 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Pure white of excellent form, with deep, full-centered flowers nicely held on strong, straight stems. A standard variety with many winnings. Not too easy to grow.

Plant, .50

**COLUMBIA** (Cuyahoga 85A), 1942, Bloom 10 x 7, Bush 5½ ft. Beautiful deep gold suffused peach pink, with the petals having a sparkling sheen and curling back to the stem. Blooms, with high centers, keep well and are borne facing on strong stems. Well recommended. Achievement Medal Winner. Roots limited.

Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$2.00

**CONSUL GEN. QUIST** (Ballego 85B), Bloom 8 x 5, Bush 4 ft. One of the most beautiful of our pastel blends. Soft cameo pink shading lighter with soft yellow shadings. Good stems. A decided acquisition and a dahlia which has come to stay.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**CORINNE MARCELLA** (Geneva 85A-B), 1942, Bloom 8-9, x 5, Bush 5 ft. Old rose with buff suffusion and tipped soft peach pink. Bush sturdy and flowers held perfectly on good stems. This dahlia does well in the South, and is exceptionally good for us.

Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**ENKART PRIMA** (Belgium 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 4 ft. Salmon with gold center. A rugged plant with very vigorous foliage. A beautiful color and a worthwhile dahlia.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**EVELYN CHANDLER** (Ballay 84A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 4½ ft. Bright golden apricot with deeper shadings on reverse which show through, especially at center of flower. Can be grown very large with extra culture.

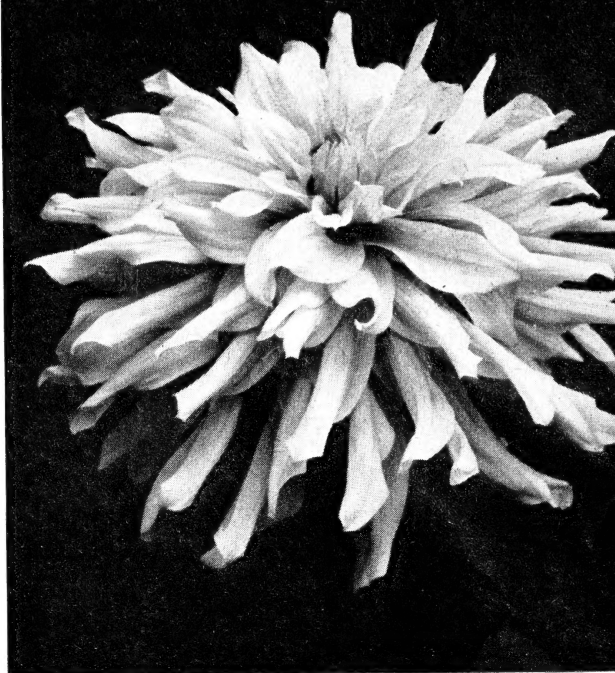
Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**KOKI** (Foreign 85A), Bloom 10 x 7, Bush 4½ ft. Soft carmine with buff reverse showing at tips. Petals twist and whirl in pin-wheel fashion. A large and impressive flower of great depth. Bush growth stocky and healthy. Poor root maker. Roots limited.

Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**LADY IN RED** (Dixie 85B), 1942, Bloom 8 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A bright scarlet red that is a good cut flower. Beautiful for baskets. Fine form as well as color for exhibiting. A vigorous grower with dark green foliage.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50



Consul Gen. Quist

**LAETARE** (Bruidgom 85B), Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 4½ ft. Orange red edged chrome yellow. This blend is most attractive and a favorite with our visitors. Bush growth strong and foliage healthy. Stems long, strong, and hold flowers well. Fine for cutting.

Root, .50; Pot Root, .50

**MARJORIE SPENCER** (England 84B), 1941, Bloom 7½ x 4, Bush 3 ft. A soft cerise red or rich strawberry pink which is appealing. An early and profuse bloomer and very colorful in the garden.

Root, \$2.00

**MICHIGAN RADIANCE** (Wolfe 85B), 1941, Bloom 7 x 5, Bush 4½ ft. Similar to Hillside Gold in color but with orange red suffusion. This variety has strong straight stems and is a profuse bloomer. Needs disbudding.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

**MISS GLORY** (Ballay 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 4 ft. A fine deep yellow with apricot suffusion. Petals rolled and incurved nicely. Bush growth sturdy, and flowers are held above foliage on long, strong stems.

Root, .50

**MODEL 999** (Lakeside 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. A seedling of Satan, of a fiery red with gold reverse. The flower has a high full center, and can easily be grown large. The bush growth is extremely rugged, well-branching and flowers are produced on long stems.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**WINGS** (Geneva 86A), 1943, Bloom 10½ x 7, Bush 6 ft. A large dark amaranth red. A strong vigorous grower, with dark foliage and long erect stems holding the flower a foot or more above the foliage. A winner at New York, and a dahlia that we heartily recommend.

Root, \$5.00; Pot Root, \$3.50; Plant, \$2.00

**WINTER CARNIVAL** (Southern 85B), 1943, Bloom 8 x 5, Bush 4½ ft. A fine crystal white, inclined to Informal Decorative. Should become popular as it is easier to grow than most white dahlias. Stems are strong, and it has a good show record.

Root, \$7.50; Plant, \$3.50

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Miss Elsie Jane

## SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS—Cont'd

**AMELIA EARHART** (Cordes 85A), Bloom 12 x 6, Bush 4 ft. Massive flowers of apricot buff with salmon tints shading to soft yellow at base of petals. Most attractive and still found in the shows. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**JEAN TRIMBEE** (Trimbee 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Massive yet artistic, with long revolute petals that curl and twist. A beautiful Petunia purple. Very popular in the shows. Tall and vigorous, with long erect stems. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**JESSICA DRAGONETTE** (Jones-Alling 85A), Bloom 12 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Produces exhibition blooms of perfect form with good keeping qualities. A fine combination of buff apricot suffused peach and mauve. A poor root maker. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**KARDINAL VAN ROSSUM** (Bruidegom 84A-B), Bloom 8-9 x 5, Bush 4 ft. True purple with a lighter reverse. The blooms are good size, excellent formation and very attractive. Bush growth is satisfactory. Blooms profusely. Poor root maker. Plant, .50

**MAFFIE** (Exnar-Johnson 85A), Bloom 12 x 6, Bush 6 ft. Intense carmine of stupendous size. When introduced, Maffie led the list of Futurity Medal Winnings, and was unquestionably one of the most spectacular exhibition dahlias shown. The tremendous size of this dahlia puts considerable strain on the stem. Bush growth is very rugged and foliage exceptionally heavy. Root, \$2.50; Pot Root, \$2.00; Plant, \$1.25

**MARY LYNN DUDLEY** (Dudley-Ruschmohr 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 7, Bush 5 ft. A bright oxblood red shading to Bordeaux red at center, with lighter reverse. Very good form and stems. On Honor Roll and Futurity. Roots limited. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00



PEACH DAWN

**MARY RETZER** (Retzer 85A), Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 5 ft. A sport of Edna Ferber. Color, a soft orchid pink, inclined to rose pink. Very popular and satisfactory as it is early and a strong healthy grower. Root, .50

**MISS ELSIE JANE** (Dahliadel 85B), Bloom 6 x 4, Bush 4 ft. About the most artistically formed dahlia in the entire list. In color, too, it is most unusual, being a shrimp pink with cream shadings at center and tipped violet rose. Blooms freely from early until frost. For sheer beauty character, floriferousness, long wiry stems and all-around usefulness, we heartily recommend it. Root, .50

**PEACH DAWN** (Dudley-Dahliadel 85B), 1942, Bloom 8 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Rosy flesh suffused soft rose, giving the effect of soft salmon pink. Flowers are of good substance on strong stems. The bush growth shows marked vitality and foliage is most insect resistant. Comes into bloom about the middle of September, and centers are always full. Certified at East Lansing and listed in the House Beautiful Futurity. Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**TREASURE CHEST** (Dahliadel 85B), Bloom 7½ x 6, Bush 3½ ft. A fine rich tone of golden yellow suffused coral red. Excellent for cutting as the blooms grow in water. Wonderful for baskets and arrangements. Root, .50

**YELLOW GLORY** (Frey-Dahliadel 85A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 5 ft. A finely formed variety of clear lemon yellow. The high full center and artistic wavy petals give it a regal appearance. Stems strong, foliage dark, and bush growth good. Certified at Storrs. A seedling from the gardens of Conrad Frey. Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**YOWA MATSUOKA** (85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A very interesting variety. Color, oxblood red shading lighter, very similar to Cherokee Brave. Does well grown under cloth and in the garden. Stems and foliage excellent. At times qualifies as an Incurved Cactus. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50



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## INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

**ADOLF MAYER** (Topsvoort 85A), Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 5 ft. A black red, about the darkest of all dahlias. Bush is of good height and sturdy. Stems in proportion and flowers held perfectly. Keeps well when cut. A dahlia which should be in every planting. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**CHEROKEE BRAVE** (Ricks-Dahliadel 86A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. Blooms are a rich oxblood red that hold their color well in the sun. Has done exceptionally well throughout the country, and in the Mid-West is considered by many the outstanding red. The blooms grow naturally to extra large size. One of our best introductions. Bush growth strong and foliage heavy. Award of Honor, Ga.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**CITY OF CLEVELAND** (Hillside 84A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 4½ ft. A strong, healthy grower that produces large uniform well-formed blooms throughout the season. Artistic flowers of a bright orange suffused scarlet. Certified at Storrs. Root, .35

**JOSEPHINE G** (Grosscross-Ruschmohr 84B), Bloom 7½ x 4, Bush 4½ ft. A very pleasing true pink of a bright shade, slightly veined and tipped yellow. Sturdy bush, with flowers held well above the dense foliage. Very floriferous, good for cutting. Root, .35

**KILGORE'S KING** (Kilgore 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Deep lemon yellow with rose shadings on outer petals. Strong stems, rugged bush and flowers held well. Root, .50

**LYNN FONTANNE** (Lee-Parrella 85A), 1941, Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 5½ ft. A scarlet or peach red with exceptionally strong stems. Bush growth tall and robust. One of the best keeping exhibition dahlias. Well recommended. On Johnston's Futurity and Dudley's Honor Roll. Plant, \$1.50

**MICHIGAN WHITE** (Keiser 84B), Bloom 7 x 3, Bush 5 ft. A prolific bloomer. May be described as an improved Star of Bethlehem with good substance. A fine white commercial with three Cert. of Merit and Award of Honor, Ga. Roots limited.

Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**PRODUCER** (Southern 85A-B), Bloom 8-9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A most beautiful variety of orange yellow suffused red. Has many winnings to its credit. Blooms are ordinarily 8 inches but will grow much larger. Bush is of good size, vigorous, branches well and produces a profusion of blooms. Award of Honor, Ga. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

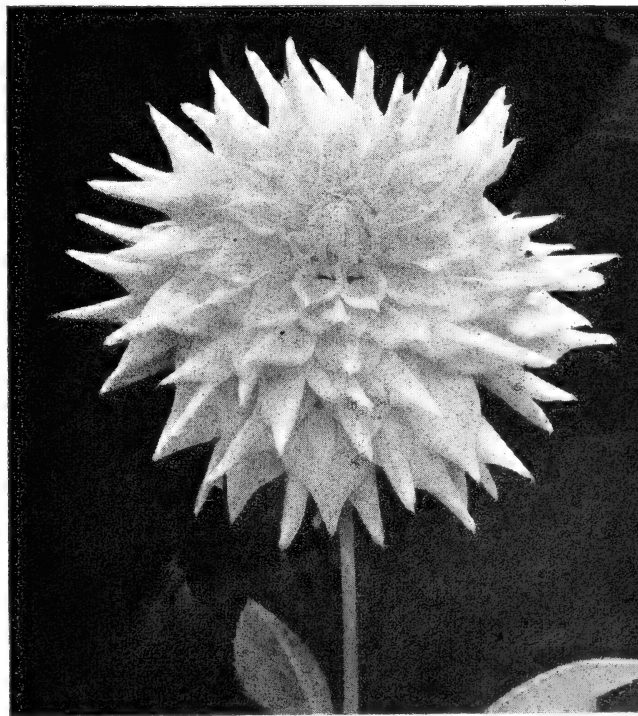
**TOP-FLIGHT** (Southern 85A), 1942, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. An intense bright crimson with broad staghorn petals. Bush is tall and sturdy, with fine long rigid stems. Winner of two Achievement Medals. A consistent show winner, but more often a Semi-Cactus.

Root, \$5.00; Pot Root, \$3.50; Plant, \$2.00

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Cherokee Brave



Producer

**VIRGINIA RUTE** (Chappaqua 86A), Bloom 12 x 9, Bush 5½ ft. This dahlia will grow beautifully under cloth and equally well in the open. Rich oxblood red shaded garnet. Darker than Cherokee Brave, but similar in form. Blooms have high full centers. The long, strong stems need no special support even when grown for exhibition. A variety that needs no coddling and is in our opinion, one of the best. Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75





**Premier's Winsome**



**Carl G. Dahl**

**ARELDA LLOYD** (Smith 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. A clear lemon yellow faintly suffused rose. May be described as a yellow Jane Cowl as form and bush growth are almost identical. Root, .35

**CARL G. DAHL** (Hillcrest 85A), Bloom 12 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. An enormous dahlia with petalage somewhat loose and open. Apricot buff shaded old rose on reverse. Bush growth vigorous and very profuse. Many times a winner in the "largest bloom" class. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

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## INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued

**CHARMER** (Lloyd 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. A clear golden buff, lightly suffused apricot yellow and rose. A lighter sport of Jane Cowl, which seems to be getting darker each season.

Root, .35

**COLIN KELLY, JR.** (Salem 85A), 1943, Bloom 12 x 5, Bush 4½ ft. One of the largest new phlox pink dahlias. Potash is recommended to help stems hold flowers in wet weather. On Honor Rolls. Best bloom in the 1943 N. Y. Show.

Plant, \$3.50

**DAHLIAMUM** (Chemar 85A), Bloom 10 x 7, Bush 5 ft. A very large flower of a yellow buff and amber combination suffused with gold. Petals are twisted. A strong growing variety. Certified at Storrs.

Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**GOLDEN BEAUTY** (Silvernale 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Golden yellow, with high full centers. Bushes unusually vigorous. Strong erect stems. Good late in the season. Cert. at Storrs.

Root, .75

**INCANDESCENT** (Weyer 84A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. Soft orange, with coral red reverse and shadings. A Jane Cowl with intensified coloring. Very good with a little extra care.

Root, .75

**JANE COWL** (Downs 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. A warm buff and old gold, blending to apricot and rose at the center. Bush growth is ideal, with strong stems. Fine for cutting and exhibiting. One of the most universally grown dahlias.

Root, .35

**KENTUCKY SPORTSMAN** (White 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 3 ft. Lemon yellow at center, outer petals rich golden amber with old rose reverse, each petal evenly tipped pure white. Good form and very popular. Very striking.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**NOELL MARVIN** (Gelsdorf 85A), 1941, Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 3½ ft. An unusual and very artistically formed dahlia. A clean amber yellow heavily suffused rose red. Really worthwhile.

Root, \$1.50

**PINK GIANT** (Bruidgom 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5½ ft. Bright Tyrian pink. Long erect stems hold flowers facing and slightly elevated. Strong rugged bushes with heavy foliage. Universally admired. A very striking and unusual dahlia.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**PREMIER'S WINSOME** (Premier 85A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. This massive variety has good form, substance and excellent plant growth. Greatly admired. Soft amaranth pink with lighter shadings. Certified at E. Lansing.

Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**PROGRESS** (Salem 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. An exhibition dahlia of immense size, great depth, and excellent quality. Soft purple or rosy mauve. Long, stiff, and straight stems. Bush healthy with leathery foliage. A profuse bloomer. Achievement Medal winner.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

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## INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued

**ALICE MAY** (Australia 86A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. Pure white, with slight yellow cast at base of petals. A sure winner and all-around dahlia. Stems, bush growth, placement and profusion of blooms are excellent. Universally recommended. One of the very best whites.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**AMERICA'S SWEETHEART** (Salem 85A). Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 3 ft. Pale lemon yellow with serrated petals curled and twisted in an attractive manner. Excellent form. A winner in the shows.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**BESS SMITH** (Anderson 85A), 1943, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. The Derrill Hart Medal Winner for 1941. White with a slight creamy center. Has substance and good habits of growth. Very pleasing form with a deep full center. Does not burn. Certified at Storrs, W. Va., and O.V.D.A.

Root, \$.75; Pot Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$3.50

**CLARA BARTON** (Salem 83A), Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 5 ft. Silvery orchid with deep lavender reverse. Flowers face slightly upward. Profuse. Root, .35

**DIXIE'S WINE DOT** (Dixie 85A), 1943, Bloom 10 x 4, Bush 6½ ft. An attractive variegated dahlia. White wavy petals suffused, flecked and dotted rosy magenta. Three Achievement Medals, and certified at Ohio Valley.

Root, \$.75; Pot Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$3.50

**GINGER ROGERS** (Burkes-Ruschmohr 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 7, Bush 5 ft. Deep sulphur yellow. Certified at Storrs and many awards elsewhere. On the Honor Rolls. Plant, \$1.50

**JIMMIE FOXX** (Johnson 84A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 6 ft. Coppery red suffused and tinged henna. Mammoth size, with fine growth and sturdy stems. Winner of many prizes, including Achievement Medal and Derrill Hart Medal at New York.

Root, .75; Plant, .50

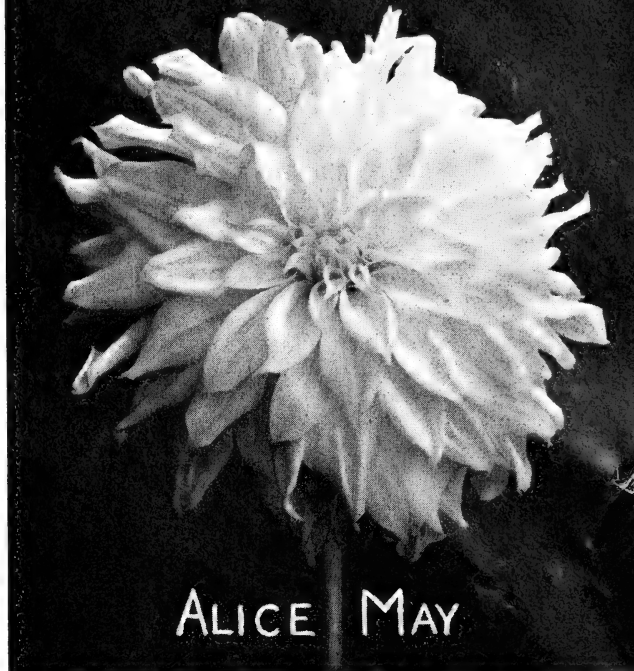
**LORD OF AUTUMN** (Almy 86A), Bloom 12 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. Lemon yellow of wonderful size and depth. Long pointed and twisting petals with beautiful center formation. Bright glossy foliage. Sturdy plant growth. One of the largest for exhibition. Somewhat temperamental.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

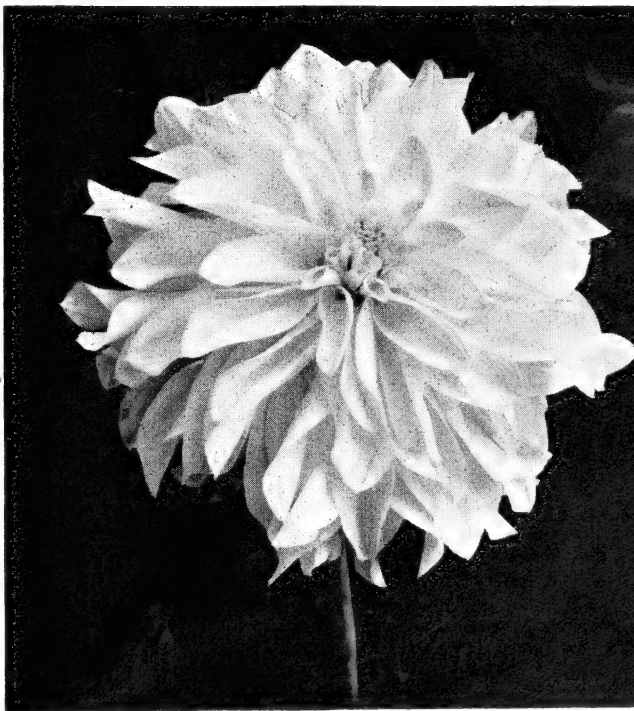
**OPAL** (Berwick-Dahliadel 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. A popular variety of artistic and excellent form. An unusual pastel combination of soft salmon rose with centers of light lemon yellow. Strong erect stems hold flowers well above the glossy dark foliage. Popular in the garden and decidedly worthwhile. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**SILVER LADY** (Hillside 85A) Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. A most exquisite and lovely dahlia of ivory white delicately flushed and edged violet rose. Rugged bush, vigorous foliage, and long strong stems. Has secured more than its share of winnings. A really great creation. Certified at W. Va. and recommended at Ga.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50



ALICE MAY



Silver Lady

**WHITE WONDER** (Black-Kemp 83A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. Pure white with long, twisted petals. Strong grower. Joints are rather close, making disbudding necessary. A good root maker. Root, .35

**WM. R. SHINKFIELD** (Australia 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. A beautiful big buff yellow suffused rose. Bush, form, and color very outstanding. Roots limited.

Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00



California Idol

## INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued

**BAKER'S BEST** (Baker-Hillside 86A), 1943, Bloom 10½ x 7, Bush 5½ ft. Deep clear sulphur yellow, with plenty of substance and size. A fine grower with strong erect stems. A good root maker. Very promising.

Root, \$5.00; Pot Root, \$3.50; Plant, \$2.00

**CALIFORNIA IDOL** (Ballay 85A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 4½ ft. Clear lemon yellow. Deep flowers of fine form with high, full centers. Strong bush, profuse, and a consistent winner. Very popular.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**CHEROKEE ROSE** (Ricks-Dahliadel 85A-B), Bloom 8-9 x 5, Bush 5½ ft. Beautiful lilac pink shaded deep rose pink. Very profuse, with fine stems and strong well-branched bushes. A fine cut flower and an excellent keeper. One of the best and very well liked.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**EVENTIDE** (Hillside 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 4 ft. True purple with violet purplish shadings. Staghorn petal formation. Sturdy stems. Certified at E. Lansing. A winner in the purple class. Roots limited.

Root, \$1.50; Plant, .75

**FOREST FIRE** (Dahliadel 84A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. Lemon yellow near center, blending to rich scarlet near the tips of the petals. The combined color-picture suggested the name. Bushes stocky and strong. Blooms a little late.

Root, .50

**FRECKLES** (Kemp 85A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 4½ ft. Lemon yellow speckled and striped peach red. Rather unusual. This variegated novelty is a favorite with our visitors.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**KEMP'S VIOLET WONDER** (Kemp 84A-B), Bloom 8-9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Bright violet purple with faint bluish violet at tips of petals. Deep flowers of perfect form are held well above the foliage on long strong stems. Very dependable. Keeps well.

Root, .35

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**MAID MARION** (Southern 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 4 ft. Winner of 2 Achievement Medals and other prizes. Amber yellow shaded phlox pink, and suffused mauve. Good stems and nice form. Similar to, but slightly darker than Freda George.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**MILTON J. CROSS** (Johnson 85A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 6 ft. General effect is yellow with outer petals suffused rose and coral. A consistent prize winner and a strong grower.

Root, .50

**MISS ENGLEWOOD** (Daily 84A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4 ft. Deep carmine red shading lighter with buff yellow on reverse. Very attractive in both form and color. Easy to grow, and sure to please. Certified at E. Lansing.

Root, .75

**MOTHER MAYTROT** (Berwick-Dahliadel 86A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 4½ ft. Pure white of artistic form. Blooms arrange easily and have excellent keeping qualities. Perfect stems, and dark, insect-resistant foliage. Many prizes to its credit. Certified at Storrs, O.V.D.A. and an Award of Honor, Ga. A poor root maker, but decidedly worthwhile.

Plant, .75

**MRS. W. KEENE** (Garfield 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A very pretty soft yellow lightly suffused pink at center. Strong erect stems, a vigorous grower, and "fool-proof." Petals roll back to the stem.

Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**NORMA MORTON** (Australia 85A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. Golden yellow edged dull peach red. Can be grown very large. Stem strong and erect. Unusually vigorous bush, with insect-resistant foliage. Very dependable.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**ROBERT L. RIPLEY** (Salem 85A), Bloom 12 x 8, Bush 5 ft. One of the largest varieties grown. Soft Rhodamine purple with deep rose pink suffusion throughout. Stems are straight and strong. Flowers have good substance and keep wonderfully well. Grown by many dahlia fans. Somewhat temperamental.

Plant, .75

**WHIRLAWAY** (Pittman-Dahliadel 85A), 1942, Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. A clean shade of soft lemon yellow inclined to sulphur yellow. Grows nearly a foot across in field culture. Good stems, rugged bush, rich glossy green holly-like foliage, and a good root maker. Full of vitality. In the Futurity and on the Honor Rolls.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**WHITE ABUNDANCE** (Ballego 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 6 ft. Beautiful waxy white blooms are held well out of the foliage on strong erect stems. Fine for cutting, baskets, and florist work. Does well for us, and we heartily recommend it.

Root, .50

**WHITE WINNER** (Wolfe 85B), 1941, Bloom 8 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. A white with more petal substance than any other white we have grown. Early and profuse, does not burn, and is most satisfactory for cutting. Long erect stems.

Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00



## INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued

**BURGUNDY** (Redfern 84A), Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 4 ft. Beautiful true purple. A wonderful grower, with blooms of good form and size. Petals are notched, which adds to its attractiveness. Root, .75

**FREDA GEORGE** (Australia 86A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Sulphury white tipped and suffused violet rose. Strong, erect stems and uniform blooms. Bush growth strong and sturdy. Fine for cutting and exhibiting, and generally satisfactory. A true blend of pastel shades. Profuse. Plant, .50

**GOLDEN PRINCE** (Weiss 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 4 ft. Rich gold, blended peach, giving a general effect of golden bronze. Bush strong, and branches nicely. A seedling of Jane Cowl, but it has never had the recognition it rightfully warrants. Profuse from early until late. Root, .50

**LINK'S WHITE MAJESTY** (Link-Premier 85A), 1941, Bloom 11 x 4, Bush 4 ft. Reminds one of a white Lord of Autumn. A crystal clear white that has size and is a rugged grower. Achievement Medal winner. Root, \$1.50

**MRS. WM. KNUDSEN** (Dixie 85A), Bloom 12 x 7, Bush 5½ ft. A massive pure waxy white. Must be planted early as it is inclined to be late. Vigorous grower and very satisfactory. Root, .50

**MURPHY'S MASTERPIECE** (Murphy 85A), Bloom 11 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. Dark red shading deep crimson, and still a contender for the "largest bloom" class. A strong grower, with good stems. Roots are hard to keep over the winter. Plant, .50

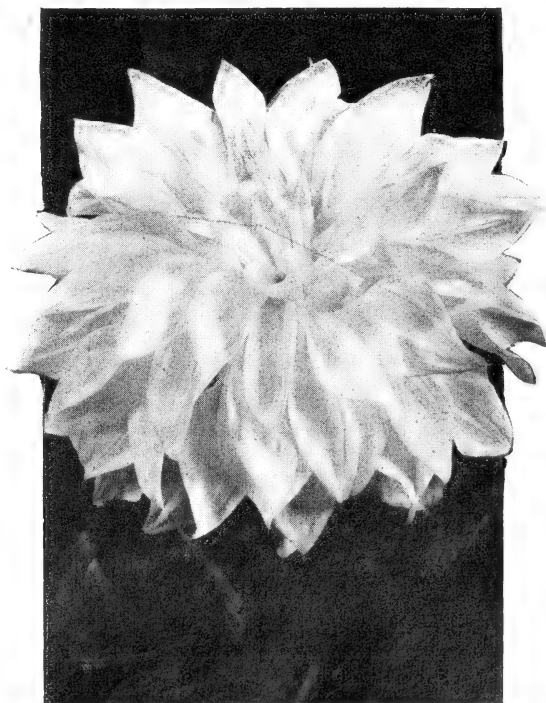
**PEARL HARBOR** (Dixie 85A), 1943, Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. A true variegated dahlia, light mauve shaded violet rose and flecked Tyrian pink, which color varies a little in different gardens. Medium sized bush, with good stems. Certified at Storrs, and on all three Honor Rolls. Root, \$7.50; Plant, \$3.50

**PINK ELEPHANT** (Giffin-Dahliadel 85A), 1942, Bloom 12 x 7, Bush 3½ ft. Beautiful deep rose pink. Blooms grow very large in field culture, and plenty of them. A compact grower that is sure to please. Blooms early enough that it can safely be pinched out twice, making a beautiful bush. Really one of our very best varieties. On the Honor Rolls and in the Futurity. Root, \$5.00; Pot Root, \$3.50; Plant, \$2.00

**PINK JOSEPHINE** (Cleveland 85A), Bloom 12 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. A companion for Carl G. Dahl in a lavender pink. Produces large blooms naturally on long stems. Plant growth vigorous. Early and prolific. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**PRIDE OF AUSTINBURG** (Strassen 84A), Bloom 10 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. Soft apricot shading violet rose with a reverse shading of light purple. Blooms early on strong stems. Centers full. Root, .50

**THE UNIVERSE** (Dahliadel 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 3½ ft. Rich bright garnet. Centers are always full, and stems and bush growth good. Especially recommended where seasons are short as it develops and blooms early. Root, .50



Virginia Shipley

**VIRGINIA SHIPLEY** (Cory-Dahliadel 85A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 5 ft. A deep lemon yellow with a golden hue. Bush is rugged with heavy foliage repellent to insects. Blooms open Formal developing Informal. On Futurity, and winner of many medals. Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50



**Katie K**

## INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued

**GOODNIGHT** (Broomall 83A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Oxblood shaded maroon. Its faults are hard to find, as it has size, form and stem, as well as having profuse and early blooming habits. Roots limited. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**HILLSIDE SUNSET** (Hillside 85A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Deep lemon lightly suffused red in early season but becoming mostly golden yellow later. A rather tall bush of unusual vigor, with stems holding the mammoth blooms facing you. Winner of many awards. Poor root maker. Root, \$1.00

**HUNT'S VELVET WONDER** (Hunt-Burnett 84A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. Deep rosy magenta blending into a true purple. Broad-petaled blooms of good size and depth. Stems somewhat short, but a very striking flower. Root, .75

**INDIAN GIANT** (Emmons 85A), 1943, Bloom 12 x 6, Bush 4 ft. Rich autumn color with Indian yellow reverse. Fine strong stems and good flowering habit. Certified at East Lansing. Plant, \$3.50

**KATIE K** (Lakeside 86A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. A giant. Beautiful soft violet rose with lighter veinings. An open grower with good stiff stems, and very prolific. Certified at Storrs and E. Lansing, and a consistent winner wherever shown. Has no marked weakness and will be ranked for years as a standard. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**KEMP'S RADIANT BEAUTY** (Kemp 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. A very pretty and useful variegated dahlia of lemon yellow splashed scarlet. A seedling of Freckles. Stems strong and erect, foliage healthy. Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75



**LADY MORTON SMITH** (Foreign 84A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 5 ft. An unusual coloring of coral red shading orange, which places it in the orange class. Large but not too deep. Long stems and good bush growth. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**MINNORA** (Berwick-DahliaDel 84A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Bright apricot suffused violet rose, with a decided deep red suffusion on reverse of petals. An unusual but pleasing color combination. Bush growth, stems and foliage ideal. Root, .35

**MOTHER'S DAY** (Australia 85A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 4½ ft. A mammoth creamy white. Bush healthy and vigorous. Flowers face perfectly on strong stems. Winner in many shows. Blooms a little late. Root, \$2.00; Plant, \$1.00

**MRS. GEORGE LE BOUTILLIER** (Smith-Ruschmohr 85A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Any extra care pays big dividends with this beautiful carmine red dahlia. It has been shown 14½ inches in diameter. Has few faults. Root, .50

**RITA WELLS** (Wells-Ruschmohr 85A), Bloom 12 x 8, Bush 5 ft. Rose buff with the reverse a subdued lilac pink. On the Futurity, Achievement Medal winner, and certified at W. Va. Stems erect and bush in proportion. Has shown up well in the shows. Roots limited. Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**SAN FRANCISCO** (Ballay 84A), Bloom 12 x 8, Bush 5 ft. Shrimp pink of great size and depth. Good stems. Blooms inclined to be shy and quite late. Root, \$1.00

**SUNRAYS** (Straight-Ruschmohr 86A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 4½ ft. Clear buff suffused apricot with a distinct peach red on reverse of petals. Its faults are hard to find. One of the best. Wins everywhere and was certified at W. Va. and E. Lansing. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**WATCHUNG GIANT** (Smith 85A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 6 ft. Deep amber yellow suffused orange cadmium. Grows like a weed and is most profuse in blooms. Doesn't need pampering, and does equally well in all sections of the country. Root, .50

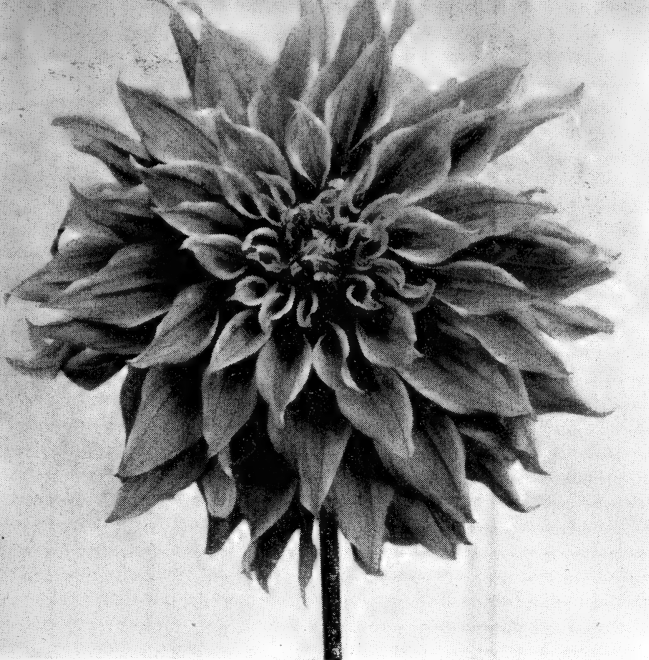
## TRIAL GROUNDS

The Trial Grounds are all doing a magnificent work. Even the unofficial trial grounds are furnishing important data aiding in selection of varieties for particular localities.

Dahlias which have received certificates at the official Trial Grounds at Storrs, Conn.; East Lansing, Mich.; Ohio Valley Dahlia Association at Cincinnati, and West Virginia at Fairmont are marked in our catalog. "Certified at Storrs, E. Lansing, O.V.D.A. or W. Va." An "Award of Honor, Ga." refers to the Dahlia Society of Georgia Trial Grounds. "Certified at Maryland" indicates being certified at Maryland Trial Grounds at College Park, Maryland.

Seedlings may be sent to any of these Trial Grounds where they will be carefully grown, tested and scored. Fee for each variety is \$3.00 and three roots or plants of each variety must be sent. No entry fee is required by the Georgia Dahlia Society, and only \$2.00 is charged at Maryland. Write for entry blanks and instructions from the Trial Grounds you may wish to enter. List and addresses of official Trial Grounds will be sent on request.





**Glamour**

## INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Cont'd

**ANNA BENEDICT** (Benedict-Dahliadel 85B), Bloom 8 x 5, Bush 5½ ft. One of the most satisfactory. Rich dark garnet with black shadings near center of flower. Stems always good. Does not fade, and seems immune to storm damage. One of the best for cutting all season. Root, .35

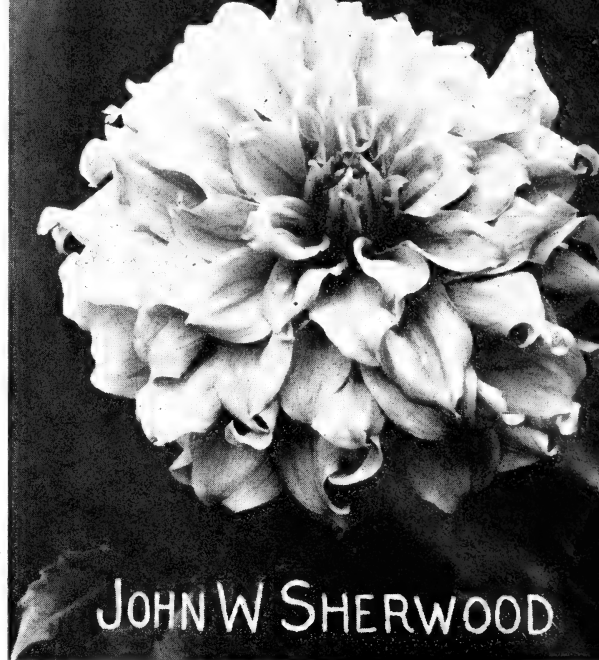
**BANDOENG** (Ballego 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Cinnamon buff suffused and shaded russet coral and scarlet. A strong bush, with heavy foliage and excellent stems. Easy to grow. Fine for cutting. Certified at Storrs. Root, .50

**DEAN ANDERSON** (Mad River 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. A popular color, clear radiant coral, or peach red, suffused orange. Massive petaled blooms held well above the foliage on well-proportioned stems. Bush is rugged with healthy foliage. A poor root maker. Plant, \$1.00

**DR. DANNER** (Dixie 85A), 1942, Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Soft scarlet with buff reverse, similar to Forest Fire. Strong stems hold flowers in good position. Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**GLAMOUR** (Salem 85A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 5½ ft. An unusual color combination of purple veined violet rose. A tall, heavy grower, with stiff stems. Winner of many prizes, including Achievement Medal at Baltimore and Award of Honor, Ga. Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**JOHN W. SHERWOOD** (Berwick-Dahliadel 85A), 1943, Bloom 12 x 7, Bush 5 ft. Violet or silvery mauve, enlivened with Tyrian pink, and slight gold tips. Blooms are artistic, with petals that curl and twist. Has good form, size, free and early blooming habits, and plenty of vitality. A rugged grower and consistent bloomer that stands all kinds of weather. Certified at O.V.D.A. Very satisfactory. Root, \$6.00; Pot Root, \$4.50; Plant, \$3.00



**JOHN W SHERWOOD**

**MAN O' WAR** (Boone-Ruschmohr 85A), Bloom 10 x 4, Bush 5½ ft. Rich dark carmine. Fine flowering habit, and beautiful in the garden. Petals pointed, and bush stalwart.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**MARGARET W. WILSON** (Sanhican 84A), Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. Creamy white with phlox pink shadings and on reverse. Early and profuse.

Root, .35

**MARGRACE** (Hillside 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Unusual in color and unique in form. Bright cardinal with a tan reverse. Good high centers, and strong heavy stems. Has vim, vigor and vitality. Certified at Storrs and E. Lansing, and an Award of Honor, Ga.

Root, .50

**ROBERT EMMET** (Moroney-Dahliadel 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Velvety cardinal inclining to crimson. An open grower with sturdy, dark green, insect-resistant foliage. Blooms from mid-August until frost. Stems hold flowers facing perfectly. Certified at Storrs.

Root, .35

**ROYAL PENNANT** (Fenton-Kemp 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A true, rich purple. Long strong stems hold flowers perfectly. A sturdy bush with heavy foliage. Not early, but satisfactory.

Root, .75

**RUDOLF'S GIANT** (Rudolf 85A), Bloom 12 x 7, Bush 4½ ft. A striking color combination of live buff with apricot and pink suffusions. Has size, depth, tight centers, and a sturdy plant that needs no coddling. Certified at Storrs. Blooms from mid-season on.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

**THE DRAGON, 1944.** See Page 1.

**TOWER'S EMPIRE** (Tower-Parrella 85A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 6 ft. Immense blooms of clear golden yellow with amber shadings at center. Excellent stems. Unusual and insect-resistant foliage. Very good.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50



**KING DAVID**

## FORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

**ADELE HENDERSON** (Rindfleisch-Parrella 84B), 1942, Bloom 8 x 6, Bush 4 ft. A very pleasing clear lemon chrome with soft peach red suffusions. Bloom completes nicely to form a large ball. Prolific and a good keeper. Cert. at Storrs. Plant, \$1.50

**FRANCIS LAROCCA** (Rindfleisch 84B), Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 4 1/2 ft. Pale sulphur yellow, very satisfactory as a cut flower. Blooms profusely on good stems. Vigorous grower. Root, .25

**GOLDEN BOUNTY** (Chick-Dahliadel 85B), Bloom 8 x 6, Bush 4 ft. Rich lemon yellow flowers on sturdy, compact bushes with foliage resembling holly. Blooms revert to the stems. Bush easily grown, and produces an abundance of blooms from early until late. A favorite. Roots limited. Root, .50

**JEANETTE** (Lombard 85A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. The largest red and white bi-color, deep amaranth or reddish purple neatly tipped white. Rugged growth and very worthwhile.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**KENTUCKY SUN** (White 84B), Bloom 7 x 5, Bush 4 1/2 ft. Clear light lemon yellow. Produces quantities of large uniform blooms on strong stems. Glossy green foliage. Withstands a lot of adverse conditions. Achievement Medal winner.

Root, .35

**KING DAVID** (Corbett-Dahliadel 86A), 1942, Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 4 1/2 ft. By far the earliest purple to date. Beautiful rich regal purple inclined to violet purple. Continues blooming throughout the season. Flowers are of good substance, deep, well-formed, and do not fade. In the Futurity and Flower Grower Honor Roll.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

DAHLIADEL NURSERIES



**MARY ELLEN** (Loller 84A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 1/2 ft. Violet rose inclined to mauve pink. Flowers easily attain good exhibition size. Bushes sturdy and well-proportioned. Blooms from mid-season on. Root, .50

**MARYLAND GLORY** (Maryland 84A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 4 1/2 ft. Tyrian rose shaded crimson carmine. Very profuse with good stems. Perfect blooms from early until late. A fine strong grower. Satisfactory and popular. Root, .35

**MONARCH OF THE EAST** (Almy 84A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A giant dahlia on a sturdy tree-like bush. Light rich cadmium yellow with coral red shadings on reverse. Certified at Storrs.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**MRS. I. DE VER WARNER**, (Mareau 82A), Bloom 10 x 3, Bush 6 ft. Bright lilac rose. In commerce for more than 20 years, and still one of the best. Excellent growth. Prolific. Root, .35

**PURPLE MIST** (Emmons-Ruschmohr 85A), Bloom 10 x 5 1/2, Bush 5 ft. Purple garnet. Strong, sturdy stems and a bush which is extremely rugged. Foliage thick and dark green. Blooms keep marvelously well. Achievement Medal winner and certified at E. Lansing. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**RED SALUTE** (Salem 85A-B), Bloom 8-9 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Bright cardinal red. Bush will stand adverse growing conditions, and is profuse in blooms from early until late. A good root maker.

Root, .50; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**SANHICAN'S CAMEO** (Sanhican 83A), Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Cameo pink, shaded mallow pink on reverse of petals. Sturdy bush, long stems, and flowers held well. Roots limited. Root, .35

**SULTAN OF HILLCREST** (Hillcrest 84A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 3 ft. Huge blooms of lemon yellow with reverse of rosy pink. Strong stems. Will stand extra feeding. Cert. at Storrs.

Root, .50

**THOMAS A. EDISON** (Dahliadel 84A), Bloom 9 x 4 1/2, Bush 4 ft. Impressive blooms of staghorn petal formation. Royal purple or petunia violet. Stems and bush growth strong. Grows rather slowly and appreciates extra culture and fertilization. Many awards.

Root, .50

**VOLCANO** (Richwood 84A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 4 1/2 ft. An orange flame red which holds its color in the sun. Foliage is heavy and leathery. A contestant in the "largest bloom class." Very satisfactory. Keeps well. Perfect stems. Roots limited.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**WHITE PROLIFIC** (Williams-Dahliadel 84B), Bloom 6 x 4, Bush 4 1/2 ft. A fine commercial white. Early, branches well, has good stems and is prolific. Blooms are of good form with tight backs. Nicely serrated petals.

Root, .35



## FORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued

**AMERICAN VICTORY** (American D. F. 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Rich oxblood red, that extends through the petals. Does not fade. Fine bush, dark green foliage, and strong well-proportioned stems. Achievement Medal winner. *Roots limited.* Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**BLUE RIVER** (Salem 85A), Bloom 9 x 3, Bush 4 ft. Deep lilac or bluish mauve, as near to blue as we have in dahlias. Fine bush and strong foliage. Distinctive in color and popular. Wins consistently. Root, .50

**CLASS** (Salem 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 3 ft. A fine exhibition yellow. Has form and size, but must be grown under favorable conditions as an exhibition dahlia to attain its size and perfection. Bushes compact. Root, \$2.00; Plant, \$1.00

**COSSACK** (Dahliadel 83B), Bloom 7 x 5, Bush 5 ft. A deep cardinal red commercial. Good stems and centers. Fine root maker. Root, .35

**DARCY SAINSBURY** (Australia 86A-B), Bloom 8-9 x 4, Bush 5½ ft. A creamy white which produces nearly perfect blooms, sometimes leaning to the Informal. Bushes meet all requirements. Good stems that hold flowers facing. Does particularly well in the South as it stands heat well. Highly recommended. Can be grown to exhibition quality, either over or under 8 inches. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**DEMOLAY** (Dahliadel 85A), 1941, Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Velvety crimson with heavy dark green foliage. Blooms are held in a stately manner on long strong stems. Sturdy bush. Easy to grow. Centers full until frost, and very satisfactory. Winner of the Derrill W. Hart Memorial Medal. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**HON. A. E. GIEGENGACK** (Goetzger 84A), 1942, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 5½ ft. Bright amaranth red. Strong tall grower. On Futurity. Introducer recommends "use of Potash is necessary to strengthen stems." Root, \$3.00; Plant, \$1.50

**JEAN KERR** (Burpee 83B), Bloom 4½ x 3, Bush 4 ft. A profitable white for a cut flower. Bushes compact with blooms held well above the foliage. Good stems. Always in bloom. Root, .25

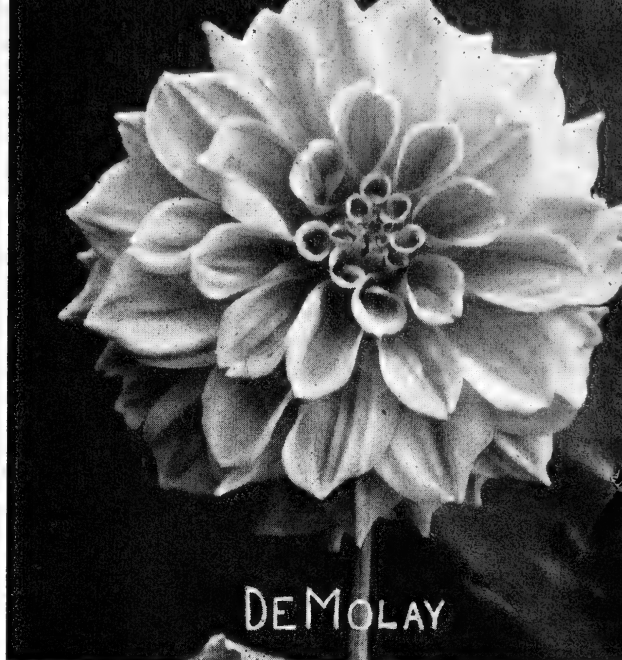
**MRS. BRADLEY GEIST** (Greinberg 84B), 1941, Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 4 ft. Pure white. Good keeper and fine for cutting. Nice form. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

**MRS. JAMES ALBIN** (Badetty 85B), Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 5 ft. Soft lemon yellow. Strong bush and excellent foliage. Good keeper and excellent for cutting. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**OAKLEIGH MONARCH** (Oakleigh 83A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 5 ft. Blood red. Stems strong and erect. Does well in the South. Grows best in garden culture and will stand feeding. Flowers easily attain exhibition size. Root, .75

### A. D. S. ANNUAL SHOW

We are glad to announce that the A.D.S. Annual Show will once again be held in the Roof Garden of the Pennsylvania Hotel, New York City, on September 21st and 22nd, 1944.



**OMAR KHAYYAM** (Stout-Dahliadel 83A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 6 ft. An unusual coloring of Chinese red, shading to a bright orange and tipped lighter, giving a wonderful soft color effect. A tall healthy grower, with strong foliage. A good root maker. Certified at Storrs. Root, .50

**PIUS XI** (Europe 84B), Bloom 7 x 4, Bush 4 ft. A true bi-color of rich clear yellow distinctly tipped white. Majestic in its beauty and well named. An occasional flower self-colored. Bushes somewhat temperamental. *Roots limited.* Root, .50

**RUTH NICHOLS** (Sowton 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 5, Bush 3½ ft. A beautiful shade of amaranth pink, with a tinge of phlox purple. A much-needed variety. Form and rugged bush are admirable. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**VICTORY** (Asther-Ruschmohr 85A), Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4½ ft. Rose pink suffused gold. A real "knockout" for sheer beauty. Flowers keep well. Stem and bush growth excellent. One of the very best for high-class cut flower trade. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

### LANDSCAPE YOUR VICTORY GARDEN

With Small-Fowering Dahlias, or better still plant early vegetables in your Dahlia Garden between the rows. Dahlias planted with other garden material produce quantities of cut flowers for home decoration and arrangements.

### ORDER EARLY

This year, more than ever, we suggest ordering early, as stock of a number of the varieties listed in this Catalog will be depleted before the height of the planting season.

We also suggest that you check your stock in storage earlier this season than usual. Roots in some sections of the country are not keeping well, due to the unusual growing season, and there will be a general shortage of stock.



# THE GOVERNOR

## FORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued

**A. G. GOODACRE** (Goodacre-Dixie 85A), Bloom 9 x 4, Bush 3½ ft. The best Formal yellow and white bi-color we have found. Strong, rugged and profuse. Root, \$2.00; Plant, \$1.00

**BARBAROSA** (Ballego 85B), Bloom 7 x 5, Bush 4 ft. About the brightest scarlet in Dahliadom. Full centers, strong stems, and a good keeper for cutting. Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**BLUE JERSEY** (85B), Bloom 6½ x 4, Bush 6½ ft. Soft Tyrian rose. A sport of Jersey Beauty with all of its parent's good qualities. Root, .50

**DEEP PURPLE** (Stephenson-Ruschmohr 85A), Bloom 11 x 7, Bush 5 ft. Large true purple. Dark leathery insect-resistant foliage and stiff stems. Certified at Storrs and E. Lansing. Plant, \$1.00

**DOROTHY GEER** (Geneva 85B), 1942, Bloom 8 x 4, Bush 5 ft. A soft violet rose with pointed petals. Long, graceful stems, with flowers held perfectly. Award of Honor, Ga. Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**GRACE** (Bibbs 84B), Bloom 6 x 2½, Bush 5 ft. Pure white, tipped and suffused lavender. Good full centers throughout the season. A leading cut flower. Very prolific. Good stems. Plant, .50

**GRAF ZEPPELIN** (Nolet 84B), Bloom 7½ x 4, Bush 7 ft. Medium sized white flowers on strong erect stems. Good for cutting. The bush has unusual vim, vigor and vitality. Root, .35

**HARVEST MOON** (83B), Bloom 7 x 4, Bush 5 ft. Clear sulphur yellow of medium size. Good stems for cutting. Very similar to Avalon. Root, .50

**HASLEROVA** (Svajner 85B), Bloom 7½ x 4, Bush 4 ft. Delicate lavender, almost white, flecked and spotted French purple. Stem, foliage and bush growth very satisfactory. A striking variegated dahlia. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**JANINE** (Comstock 84A), 1941, Bloom, 9 x 5, Bush 5½ ft. Mauve shaded Tyrian rose. An early strong grower. Easy to grow, and very profuse. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**JERSEY BEAUTY** (Waite 86B), Bloom 6½ x 4, Bush 6½ ft. This beautiful pink is undoubtedly the most universally grown dahlia. Is still "the" commercial pink. Perfect form, long stems, excellent keeper and profuse. Root, .35

**JERSEY WHITE BEAUTY** (Waite 84B), Bloom 7 x 3, Bush 5 ft. A white Jersey Beauty, somewhat similar, with exceptional keeping qualities. Centers always good, and petals tightly arranged. Early and profuse. Root, .50

**KENTUCKY** (Castlewood 85B), Bloom 6½ x 4, Bush 6½ ft. Jersey Beauty pink with yellow and gold blended in, making its general effect salmon pink. Has the same ideal characteristics of form and substance as Jersey Beauty. Good for cutting; and very popular. Root, .35

**LINK'S BLUE TRIUMPH** (Link-Premier 85A), 1941, Bloom 10 x 6, Bush 4 ft. A violet mauve seedling of Blue River, somewhat larger. Good stiff stems, and heavy insect-resistant foliage. Winner of many awards. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

**LOIS WALCHER** (Walcher-Geneva 85B), Bloom 7 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. True purple with outer third of petals clear white. A bi-color which has won six Achievement Medals, and certified at O.V.D.A. and E. Lansing. Sturdy growth, and good stems. However, blooms seem to be coming smaller each year. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**PHANTOM** (Berger 84A), Bloom 9 x 5, Bush 5 ft. Deep violet purple with distinct white tips. Long broad petals. Strong growing bush, and excellent stems. Roots limited. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

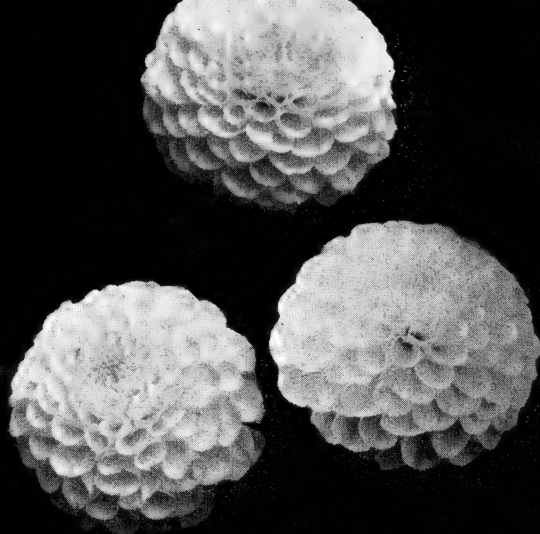
**PINK PROFUSION** (Cordes-Dahliaedel 85B), 1942, Bloom 7 x 4, Bush 4½ ft. Intense salmon pink edged deep rose pink, which develops a cream center as it fully opens. Perfect center, sturdy growth, and glossy foliage. Fine for cutting or exhibition. On the Futurity and Honor Roll. Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**THE GOVERNOR** (Berwick-Dahliaedel 86A), Bloom 11 x 6, Bush 5½ ft. Bright sulphur yellow. Excellent form, with long broad petals going back to stem. Long strong erect stems hold flowers in perfect position. Bush seems entirely immune to insects. Blooms profusely from very early until frost. Does splendidly everywhere, and has taken its place as the leading yellow Formal. Many prizes. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**THE WORLD** (Dahliaedel 84A), Bloom 9 x 4½, Bush 5 ft. Rich deep rosy magenta, overlaid garnet, with silver shadings on edges of petals. Perfect centers, good substance, strong erect stems, and leathery foliage. Root, .35

Varieties on this as well as other pages in this catalog are the same form bloom as illustration





## MOZART

### BALL DAHLIAS

**ALICE J** (Alling 85B), 1941, Bloom 4 x 3 1/2, Bush 5 ft. Attractive violet rose overshaded white. A winner. Certified at E. Lansing. Plant, .50

**CHARLOTTE CALDWELL** (Creeside 85B), Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 3 ft. Bright apricot suffused coral. Large uniform blooms. Strong stems and bush, with healthy foliage. Keeps well. Root, .50

**DUSKY** (Doermann 85M), 1943, Bloom 3 x 3, Bush 3 ft. Miniature Ball of carmine shaded maroon. Well-quilled petals roll back to stem. Prolific. Winner of two Certificates and the Derrill Hart Silver Medal. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**JEEP**, 1944. See Page 2.

**KENTUCKY SNOWBALL** (White 85B), Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 3 ft. Pure white. Does not burn. Profuse. Stems long and erect. Best in ordinary culture. Root, .50

**MARY HELEN** (Alling 85B), Bloom 4 1/2 x 3 1/2, Bush 5 ft. Deep canary yellow. Well-formed blooms, good stems, vigorous plant, and profuse. Root, .50

**MAUDE ADAMS** (Alexander 83B), Bloom 4 x 3, Bush 3 1/2 ft. White, suffused soft violet rose. Very attractive. Root, .50

**MOZART** (Dahliadel 85B), 1942, Bloom 4 1/2 x 3, Bush 3 1/2 ft. Pure white. Early and holds good centers all season. Quantities of perfect blooms. Strong rugged bush. Certified at W. Va. On Honor Roll. Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**ROSY DAWN** (85B), 1941, Bloom 4 x 3, Bush 5 ft. Golden yellow suffused and tipped rose red, with darker center. Certified at E. Lansing. Very attractive. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**SUPT. AMRHYN** (85B), Bloom 4 1/2 x 3, Bush 4 1/2 ft. Tyrian rose shaded rosy magenta. Excellent stems and bush. Fine for cutting and exhibiting. Root, .50

### PEONY DAHLIAS

**MANHATTAN** (Veile 84A), Bloom 11 x 5, Bush 6 ft. Scarlet red with lighter reverse. Centers full, at times, pretty either way. Strong grower and good root maker. Easily grown. Root, .50



### Elsie

### DWARF DAHLIAS

A wonderful new race of dahlias that has attracted much attention in our fields. They are particularly adapted for landscape planting in beds or borders as they start blooming early in the summer when about one foot high and bloom continuously until frost, growing to about 2 feet in height, except where heights are noted. These dwarf dahlias are very useful for forcing in pots indoors.

**EASTER GREETING, SC**, Bloom 4 x 1 1/2. The original variety of this type. May be grown in pots as a blooming plant, or for cutting. White with creamy cast. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**ELSIE, SC**, Bloom 4 1/2 x 2 1/2. Soft peach red shading to lemon yellow at center. Fine form. One of the best. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**FRED SPRINGER, FD**, Bloom 6 x 3, Bush 2 1/2 ft. Rich scarlet. Very effective bright fern-like foliage. Larger than the other Dwarfs. Root, .35

**GERDA, ID**, Bloom 4 x 2. Deep violet rose. Good stems hold blooms well above the foliage. Very good. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**GERTRUDE, Dwf. FD**, Bloom 4 x 1 1/2, Bush 1 1/2 ft. The best clear primrose yellow. Uniform and very good. Root, .50

**KATE, FD**, Bloom 4 x 2. Bright cardinal red. Blooms are attractive, uniform and good for cutting. Very striking. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50

**MARIA, SC**, Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 1 1/2 ft. Pure white resembling Easter Greeting. Centers very good. Not quite as tall as its twin. Root, .50

**ROSALIE, Dwf. SC**, Bloom 4 x 2. Bright violet rose shaded lighter at center and tips. Fine grower and very desirable. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50

**RUBY MAE, SC**, Bloom 5 x 3. Deep crimson red with a purplish cast. Nicely rounded bush, and well-formed blooms. One of the best. Root, .50

**URSULA, ID**, Bloom 5 x 2. Dark oxblood red. Contrasts very well with lighter colors. Produces a lot of color. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50



**Sparkle**

## COLLARETTE DAHLIAS

**DAD'S FAVORITE** (84), Bloom 4, Bush 3 ft. A favorite at Baltimore. Reddish orange and cream, with creamy collar. Attractive. Root, .75

**DARK LUSTRE** (Dahliadel 85), 1941, Bloom 5, Bush 2½ ft. Rich deep velvety garnet red with a white collar with slight carmine markings. A masterpiece in colors. Low compact bush with good blooming habits. Very popular. Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**ERICA** (Ballego 85), Bloom 4½, Bush 3 ft. Deep amaranth red, almost black. Collars of same tone with white tips. Unusual and striking. Root, .50

**FANDANGO** (Mack 85), Bloom 4, Bush 3 ft. Deep crimson red with collar the same color flaked yellow and white. Worthwhile. Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**FILLE** (Boston 85), Bloom 5, Bush 4 ft. Bright yellow with self-colored collar. Fine stems. Outstanding in the garden or show room. Root, .50

**FRANK HARRIS** (85), Bloom 4½, Bush 3 ft. Bright red with a very long red and cream collar. A good grower and very striking. Root, .50

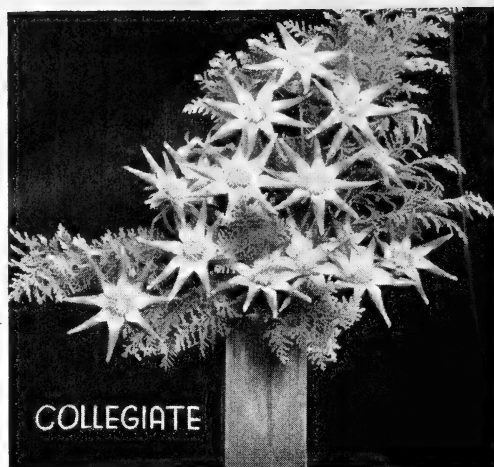
**MITZI** (Dahliadel 84), Bloom 4½, Bush 4 ft. Crimson carmine shading to primrose yellow at center and edged white. Unique and showy. Good bush, erect stems, profuse and a good keeper. Root, .50

**ORANGEADE** (Dahliadel 85), 1942, Bloom 4½, Bush 4 ft. Orange with a deeper collar. Excellent keeper, profuse and uniform in size. Exceptionally strong stems. Futurity. Root, \$2.00; Plant, \$1.00

**SATURN** (Dahliadel 85), 1941, Bloom 5, Bush 3½ ft. Clear lemon yellow with yellow collar. Fine for arrangements. Bush sturdy and strong. Long stems hold flowers perfectly. Exceptional keeper. Award of Honor, Ga. Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**SPARKLE** (Dahliadel 85), 1943, Bloom 3½, Bush 2½ ft. Pure white that blooms throughout the season without burning. Beautiful bush. Easy to grow, full of vitality, long straight stems, and a good root maker. Truly sparkles in its profusion of blooms. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**TRIBUNE** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom 5, Bush 4 ft. Deep rich crimson carmine with white collar petals edged carmine. Fine for cutting. Blooms from early until frost on strong erect stems. Root, .50



**COLLEGIATE**

## ORCHID FLOWERING DAHLIAS

This type of dahlia is most interesting, and popular for landscape effects, table decorations or graceful, airy arrangements. The bushes are compact, free blooming and prolific. Most of the flowers are 4 to 5 inches in diameter, and bushes are 2 to 3 feet in height except where noted. Wonderful for landscape effect when pinched out once, but should not be thinned out nor disbudded. If Collarette, Orchid Flowering and Single dahlias are cut before the pollen shows, they will hold their petals and keep for days.

**BUTTERCUP** (Dahliadel 84). Light buttercup or canary yellow. Erect stems. Early, profuse and a good keeper. Root, .35

**COLLEGIATE** (Dahliadel 85), 1941. Tan with a garnet red reverse. Quite modern and appealing. Very profuse, and flowers are always good. Bush healthy and sturdy. Futurity. Root, .50

**DAHLIADEL TWINKLE** (Dahliadel 85). White suffused violet rose with distinct Tyrian rose mottlings on reverse of petals which roll forward. Perfect in form and useful in arrangements. Root, .35

**DAHLIADEL WHISPER** (Dahliadel 85). Popular for cutting, arrangements and in the garden. Maize yellow with scarlet reverse. Long erect stems hold well after being cut. Plant, .50

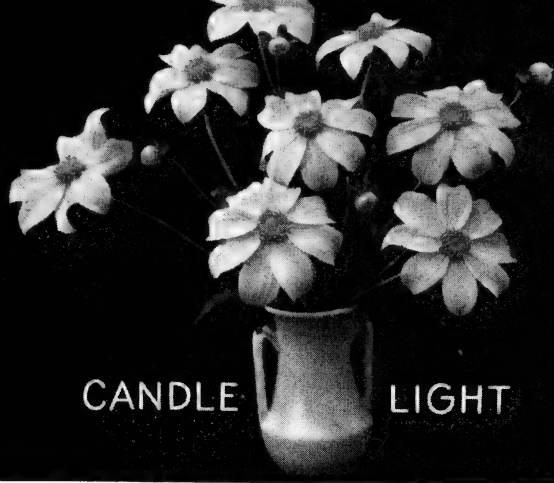
**EVEREST** (85). Pure white throughout. Long, graceful recurving florets. Good size. Plant, .50

**GUIDING STAR** (Dahliadel 85), 1941. Rich lemon yellow with slight reddish tinges on reverse. Blooms spangle the plant from early until frost. Always uniform and good. Futurity. Root, .50

**IMP** (Dahliadel 85), 1941, Bloom 3. Clear lemon yellow. Petals tightly rolled. Fine for arrangements and exhibition. Dudley's Honor Roll and Johnston's Futurity. Root, .50

**IVORY GEM** (Ruhoff-Dahliadel 85). Ivory white, most attractive and artistic. Good stems that hold erect on the bush or in arrangements. In the Futurity and a popular dahlia. Root, .50

**LONE STAR** (Dahliadel 85). Light lemon yellow with soft French purple on reverse. Long erect stems, fine for cutting. Useful for landscape or border planting. Root, .35



CANDLE LIGHT



JERSEY MAID

## SINGLE DAHLIAS

**AMI BARILLET** (Rivoire 85), Bloom 3, Bush 3 ft. Beautiful deep oxblood red with dark center. Heavy dark foliage. Fine for arrangements.

Root, .50

**BACHELOR GIRL** (Dahliadel 85), 1942, Bloom 5-6, Bush 4 ft. Stunning clear bright orange of one tone. Large and graceful, with tips of petals rolling back. Sturdy plant, rigid stems. Very popular with our many visitors. On Futurity and Honor Roll.

Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**CANDLE LIGHT** (Dahliadel 85), 1941, Bloom 5, Bush 5 ft. A brilliant yellow. Healthy bush and strong stems. Very profuse, and excellent for cutting. Unusual shape of petals at center resemble candle-light rays. Futurity.

Root, .75

**DAHLIADEL SNOW WHITE** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom 5, Bush 4 ft. Pure white with serrated petals which roll forward, inclining somewhat to the Orchid Flowering type. Excellent stems, and a good keeper for arrangements.

Root, .50

**DAHLIADEL WONDER** (Dahliadel 84), Bloom 5½, Bush 5 ft. Flesh pink shaded violet rose with yellow shadings at center. Fine stems and excellent keeping qualities. Best in light soil.

Root, .50

**DOC** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom 3½-4, Bush 3 ft. Primrose yellow shaded orange with a white stripe in the center of each petal. Some blooms are self-colored. A favorite for its outstanding color. Certified E. Lansing.

Root, .75

**DORIS** (Peacock 84), Bloom 4, Bush 4 ft. Deep velvety carmine, heavily tipped pure white. Growing habits and stems ideal.

Root, .25

**GARNET POINSETTIA** (Peacock 84), Bloom 7, Bush 6 ft. Rich, glowing garnet. Large blooms of poinsettia form are held on long stiff stems on strong plants, producing profusely.

Root, .25

**JAMES WELLER** (Peacock 85), Bloom 6, Bush 5¼ ft. Rich golden yellow with central zone of each petal soft rosy red. Long stiff stems.

Root, .25

**JERSEY MAID** (Dahliadel 85), 1942, Bloom 3, Bush 3 ft. An exquisite bi-color seedling of our famous Doc. Clear bright lemon yellow and white. Uniform flowers. Excellent keeper, and a gem for arrangements. Certified at W. Va. In Futurity and Honor Roll.

Root, \$1.00; Plant, .50

**LITTLE AMERICA** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom 5, Bush 5 ft. An outstanding and artistic white. Petals roll forward resembling a giant Poet's Narcissus. Stems long and erect. Excellent keeping qualities. Very showy in the garden.

Root, .50

**LITTLE OTHELLO** (85), Bloom 2, Bush 3 ft. A stunning dark crimson, which is almost black. Dark foliage, beautiful for arrangements.

Root, .50

**MARSHALL'S GLORIA** (Chemar 85), Bloom 4½, Bush 3 ft. Striking bi-color of cardinal red with a white stripe in the center of each petal. Rugged grower and good root maker. Petals curl artistically.

Root, .50

**MIA KARSTEN** (85), Bloom 4, Bush 3½ ft. Lilac suffused Tyrian pink with a purple garnet center. The flowers always come true and the bush robust. A marvelous sight in the garden.

Root, .50

**NEWPORT WONDER** (Robertson 84), Bloom 6, Bush 5½ ft. A very popular and artistic dahlia. Petals pointed and slightly twisted. Rose pink with golden suffusion.

Root, .50; Pot Root, .50

**PEQUOT YELLOW** (Wakeman 85), Bloom 5, Bush 3½ ft. A very large clear yellow, especially fine for exhibition. Good habit of growth.

Root, .35

**SCARLET CENTURY** (Peacock 81), Bloom 5, Bush 5 ft. Bright, glowing scarlet on erect stems. Good grower, profuse well-formed blooms.

Root, .25

**TANGO** (Dahliadel 80), Bloom 5½, Bush 6 ft. A lively autumn tint, cadmium yellow, shaded scarlet orange. Attractive.

Root, .25

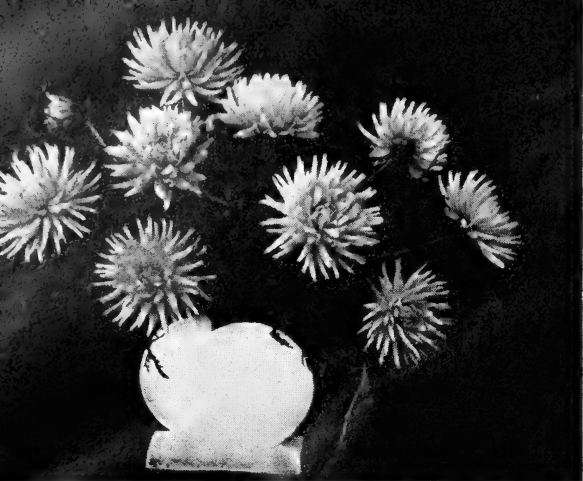
**THRILL** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom 4, Bush 3 ft. Bright cardinal with a distinct white spot at the tip of each petal. Very striking and showy. Occasional blooms are self-colored. Sturdy bush and prolific. Sure to please.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

## ANEMONE DAHLIAS

**HOLLANDIA** (Europe 85), Bloom 1½ x 1, Bush 1 ft. The outer petals are brick red with yellow pincushion-like center. Bush growth is exceedingly dwarf.

Root, .50



**Little Miss Prim**

## MINIATURE CACTUS DAHLIAS

**BABY VAMP** (Southern 85), 1943, M IC, Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 3 ft. A most attractive bright orange suffused scarlet. Artistic, early and profuse. A winner on the show table and fine for cutting.

Plant, \$1.00

**BETSY T** (Tooker-Ruschmohr 85), 1941, M StC, Bloom 3½ x 2½, Bush 4 ft. A very fine bright lilac with lighter tips. Certified at Storrs. Fine for cutting.

Root, .75

**GENEVA CRYSTAL WHITE** (Geneva 85), 1942, M C, Bloom 3½ x 2, Bush 3 ft. Beautiful pure white. Best described as a miniature Ballego's Surprise. Very profuse.

Plant, \$1.00

**JULIA S** (Scheel-Dahliadel 85), M C, Bloom 3½ x 2, Bush 4½ ft. Deep rose pink with golden suffusion at base of petals. Sturdy bush growth and long stems. Cert. at Storrs and E. Lansing. In Futurity. Plant early for best results.

Root, .50

**LITTLE MISS PRIM** (Dahliadel 84), M StC, Bloom 2½ x 1½, Bush 1½ ft. Dainty rose pink lightening toward center and tips. Exquisite and appealing. Dwarf bush with long stems. Very profuse, although at times open-centered. Futurity and many other winnings.

Root, .75

## MINIATURE SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS

**ANDRIES' ORANGE** (Andries 85), Bloom 3½ x 2½, Bush 3 ft. Bright orange of exceptionally clear and attractive tone. Stems perfect and flowers of excellent form. Many winnings. One of the best.

Root, .50

**DAISY MAE** (Golden Rule 85), 1943, Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 3 ft. Primrose yellow, lighter than Tip. Consistent bloomer and a fine healthy grower, with long stems.

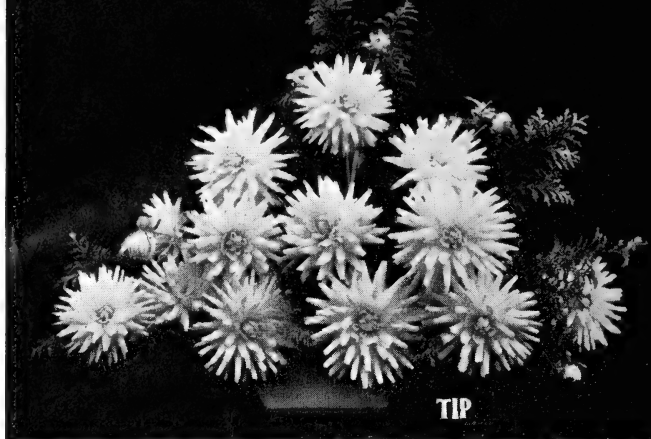
Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**DIANNE** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom 3½ x 1½ Bush 2½ ft. Rose and tan, similar to Rapture. Strong slender stems. Early, profuse, full centers and good form throughout the season. Certified at E. Lansing, O.V.D.A., and recommended at Ga. Fine for cutting and exhibition.

Root, .75

**DUBONNET** (Shipley-Dahliadel 86), Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 3 ft. Deep oxblood red that does not fade or burn. Does well in all sections of the country. Very profuse. A few blooms may come oversize. Sturdy compact bushes. A true "cut and come again" variety.

Root, .50



**TIP**

## MINIATURE SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS—Cont'd

**LITTLE DIAMOND** (Bruidegom 85), Bloom 4 x 2½, Bush 3 ft. Violet rose with sulphur yellow shadings at center. Wonderful form and perfect stems. Rugged bush. Highly recommended.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50

**LITTLE JENNY** (83), Bloom 3 x 2, Bush 2½ ft. Light pink with canary yellow. Very graceful. Fine for cutting.

Root, .35

**MARGARET WILKINSON** (England 83), Bloom 3 x 2, Bush 2½ ft. A nice peach pink with lighter reverse for cutting. Good grower and consistent bloomer.

Root, .75

**MARKET JEWEL** (Bruidegom 84), Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 3 ft. Beautiful intense red. Best results if planted early.

Root, .50

**MURIEL JOYCE** (Australia 84), Bloom 2 x 3, Bush 2 ft. Carmine, shading lighter, with orange undertone, giving the effect of gold tips.

Root, .75

**NESTHACKCHEN** (Engelhardt 84), Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 2½ ft. A pastel combination of buff suffused lilac. Early and continuous bloomer. A favorite with lovers of pastels.

Root, .35

**PETIT PRINCE** (Ruschmohr 84), Bloom 2½ x 1¼, Bush 2½ ft. Yellow base, heavily suffused crimson red. Artistic and uniform. Strong erect stems.

Root, .75

**PETIT SONNE** (Australia 85), Bloom 3 x 2, Bush 2½ ft. Yellow shaded salmon rose. Neat, attractive and a mass of blooms all season. Fine for arrangements and keeps exceptionally well.

Root, .50

**SARAH** (Comito-Johnson 85), 1941, Bloom 3½ x 2, Bush 3 ft. Apricot tipped rose pink. Beautiful in the garden with its fern-like foliage. Fine for exhibition, and has won many prizes. A very poor root maker.

Plant, .75

**SNOWSPRITE** (Shee-Dahliadel 86), Bloom 3½ x 2, Bush 3 ft. Beautiful glistening white. Blooms of fine consistent form are held well above the robust bushes in marked profusion. A dependable and worthwhile variety. Our best white Miniature Cactus for cutting.

Root, .50

**TIP** (Holland 86), Bloom 3½ x 2, Bush 2½ ft. A lovely soft lemon yellow. Distinctive in color and has created a furor in flower shows and gardens everywhere. Blooms profusely on healthy vigorous bushes. Stems long and flowers held perfectly.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50



**Rapture**

### MINIATURE INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

- CINNAMON GEM** (England 84), Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Bright orange. Consistently small and always of good form. Stem, center of flower, bush and substance exceptional. Profuse. Root, .75
- FOREST FIRE, JR.** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 4 ft. Amber yellow, suffused and veined soft cardinal. A replica of Forest Fire. Blooms all season. Long stems. Strong bushes. Root, .50
- JEANIE** (Golden Rule 85), 1941, Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 3 ft. Apricot yellow with soft carmine suffusion. Rugged bush and blooms held in good position. A fine dahlia. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50
- MRS. CLARA COWELL** (Sjoberg 84), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 4 ft. Rich pansy purple shading to true purple at outer edges. Pointed petals. A little late, but beautiful. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50
- RALEIGH** (Draper 84), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush 4 ft. Deep rose shaded salmon. Strong rugged bushes. Early, fine for arrangements and cutting. Root, .35
- RAPTURE** (Dahliadel 86), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Rose pink shading to sulphur yellow at center. Very artistic. Does very well in the South. Bush, stems, and keeping qualities excellent. Very profuse. Cert. at Storrs and E. Lansing. Root, .35

### MINIATURE PEONY DAHLIAS

Open-centered with 2 to 5 rows of petals.

- BABY ROYAL** (West 82), Bloom 3 x 2, Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. At times a Semi-Cactus. Salmon pink shaded apricot with yellow at base of petals. Root, .25
- BISHOP OF LLANDAFF** (85), Bloom 3 x  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 4 ft. Bright scarlet with a deep garnet center. Lacy foliage of reddish bronze makes it a "stand-out." Unusual and very attractive. Root, .35
- OLYMPIC FIRE** (Europe 85), Bloom 3 x  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Flaming orange red which does not fade. Foliage almost as dark as Bishop of Llandaff. Bush robust, highly recommended. Root, .50
- PINK LASSIE** (Moore-Dahliadel 86), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Soft rose pink with cream and lighter shadings toward center. Petals curl and twist. Rugged bush. Profuse. Superb for arrangements and landscape work. Truly a "must-have" and very popular. Root, .75
- RED EYE** (Dahliadel 85), 1941, Bloom 2 x 1, Bush 2 ft. Bright orange scarlet with darker center jetted with bright yellow stamens. Very tiny. Sturdy bush, dark foliage. Fine for borders. Root, .50



**Red Robin**

### MINIATURE FORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

- BABY SAGAMORE** (Badetty 85), Bloom 3 x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Amber yellow suffused peach red. Bush sturdy. Stems strong and straight. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50
- BUCKEYE BABY** (Golden Rule 85), Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Golden buff lightly shaded red on reverse. Blooms are early, uniform and plentiful. Fine for arrangements. Sturdy bushes. Root, .35
- CLARA CLEMENS** (Pelicano 85), Bloom 4 x 3, Bush 5 ft. Red tipped white. Very striking. Later in season petals quill sufficiently to qualify as a Ball dahlia. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50
- FAIRY** (Dayton 85), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 4 ft. A soft violet rose shading mauve at tips. Very early and continuously in bloom. Flowers uniform and keep wonderfully well when cut. Good, strong, straight stems. Root, .35
- JOYCE ANN** (Sanhican 85), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pink shading lighter at tips and center. Uniform, artistic and attractive blooms. Stems strong and erect. Very good. Root, .35
- JUDY** (Badetty 85), Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush 4 ft. Reddish orange. Blooms consistently small and uniform. Bush growth and stems good. Centers very full. Root, .75
- LITTLE NEMO** (Chase 85), Bloom 4 x 2, Bush 4 ft. Crimson uniformly tipped white. Striking and attractive. Very popular. Root, .50
- LITTLE SUSAN** (Frey-Dahliadel 85), 1942, Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush 3 ft. (SEE Illustration on next page.) Soft Tyrian rose with lighter shadings. Blooms hold good form throughout season. Very profuse. Certified at Storrs, on Futurity and Honor Roll. Root, \$1.00
- MCKAY'S PURITY** (McKay-Dahliadel 85), Bloom  $2\frac{3}{4} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pure white. Strong grower with healthy dense dark green foliage and uniform blooms. Compact bush. Certified at Storrs and O.V.D.A. We recommend it highly. Root, .35
- MISS INNOCENCE** (Sparks 85), 1941, Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ , Bush 3 ft. Pure white of good substance. Early and profuse. Good bush growth. Long strong stems. An excellent cut flower. Award of Honor, Ga. Root, .75; Pot Root, .50





LITTLE SUSAN



Betty Malone

## MINIATURE FORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Cont'd

**NELLIE SHEE** (Golden Rule 85), 1943, Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2}$  x 2, Bush 4 ft. A clear light lavender with long strong stems. Vigorous grower and very prolific. Fine for cutting.

Root, \$3.00; Pot Root, \$2.25; Plant, \$1.50

**ORCHID LADY** (Fenton 85), Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 4 ft. Bright violet rose or light lilac. Good for home decorations and cutting. Good grower. Certified at Storrs and E. Lansing.

Root, .35

**PEE WEE** (Johnson 84), 1941, Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$  x 1, Bush 3 ft. Pink in color. One of the smallest Miniatures. Bush growth good and sturdy. Unusually free flowering, and an excellent keeper.

Root, .75

**PEGGY LINDLEY** (Wakeman 84), 1941, Bloom  $2\frac{1}{4}$  x 2, Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A clear golden orange on long graceful stems. Excellent keeper.

Root, .75

**RED HEAD** (Golden Rule 85), Bloom 3 x  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Pleasing scarlet orange, with blooms facing up on nice stems. A fine keeper.

Root, .35

**RED ROBIN** (Dahliadel 86), Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2}$  x 2, Bush 3 ft. (SEE Illustration on Page 23.) Bright scarlet that does not fade or burn. Perfect form and stems, sturdy bushes and very profuse. Excellent for cutting, exhibition, arrangements or landscape work. Certified at Storrs and W. Va., and in the Futurity. Winner of many prizes and universally liked.

Root, .75

**RICKEY** (Bugg 85), 1941, Bloom  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x 2, Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A uniformly marked bi-color of red and white. Very striking and a great favorite. A prize winner and a strong grower.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75

**SYLVIA** (Lakeside 85), Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2}$  x  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush 4 ft. Rich deep carmine. Good form, grows well, blooms profusely and keeps wonderfully. Certified at Storrs and E. Lansing. Fine for cutting.

Root, .50

**WHITE FAWN** (Dixie 85), 1942, Bloom 3 x 2, Bush 4 ft. Best pure white of its kind so far. Rugged bush, heavy foliage, and prolific. Certified at Storrs and O.V.D.A.

Root, \$1.50; Pot Root, \$1.00; Plant, .75

**YELLOW KITTEN** (Chautauqua 85), 1943, Bloom  $2\frac{1}{2}$  x 2, Bush 4 ft. Yellow faintly tipped light pink. Early and profuse. Fine for cutting. Certified at E. Lansing and on Honor Roll.

Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

## POMPON DAHLIAS Exhibition Varieties

**ATOM** (Edymel 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{4}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Fiery red with perfect form. Small, early and profuse. Very popular.

Root, .35

**BETTY ANNE** (Johnson 86), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Soft rose pink inclined to violet rose. Small and uniform. Bush healthy and vigorous.

Root, .25

**BETTY MALONE** (Malone-Dahliadel 86), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush 3 ft. White evenly tipped violet purple. Profuse. Ideal form and healthy bush. Good in the South. Cert. at Storrs, W. Va., O.V.D.A. and good at Ga.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**BOB WHITE.** See Cut Flower Pompons.

**BRASS BUTTON** (Linduff-Ruschmohr 85), 1941, Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush 3 ft. Light yellow. Consistently small. On Honor Roll and Futurity. Certified at Storrs and W. Va.

Plant, .50

**CLOVER** (Wilson-Ruschmohr 85), 1941, Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. White tinged soft pink. Prolific in blooms, all of which are small and of fine form. Certified at Storrs.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**CREAM GEM** (Australia 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 2 ft. A beautiful waxy white. Perfect form, strong grower and profuse.

Plant, .50

**DORIA** (Australia 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Deep wine shaded darker at center. Blooms on top of stiff wiry stems. Centers full.

Root, .35

**EBONY** (Johnson 85), 1941, Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Black red, darkest of all dahlias. Long strong stems. Blooms form a complete ball. Won A.D.S. Gold Medal. Roots limited.

Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**EILEEN** (Keynes 86), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 2 ft. Cream tipped violet. Is riding a new wave of popularity after 30 years in commence. Beautiful and outstanding.

Root, .75; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50

**GRAIN O'GOLD** (Tooker-Ruschmohr 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 2 ft. Clear yellow with purplish cast at times on tips. Cert. at Storrs.

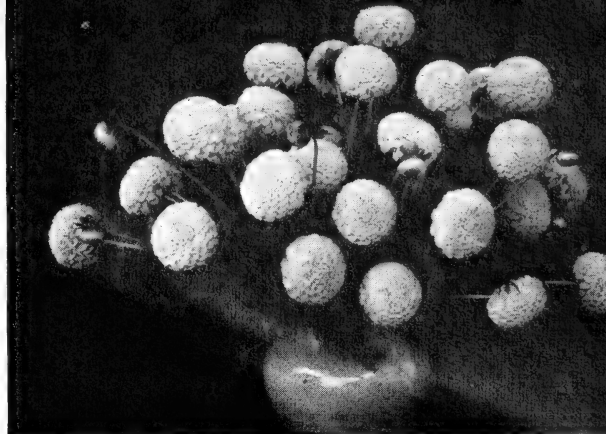
Root, .50; Plant, .50

**HONEY** (Farnum 86), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{4}$ , Bush 3 ft. Primrose yellow with faint suffusion of red on edge of petals. Free flowering on long stems. Good for cutting.

Root, .25

**ILA** (Australia 87), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 2 ft. Deep oxblood. Bush growth fairly good, and almost all of the blooms are of perfect form. Long strong stems.

Root, .50; Pot Root, .50; Plant, .50



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## POMPON DAHLIAS—Cont'd

### Exhibition Varieties

**JOHNNY** (West 86), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{4}$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Dark red or maroon. Very small. Almost a perfect ball. Slow to propagate. Root, .50

**LITTLE EDITH** (87), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{4}$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Primrose yellow tipped bright carmine. A standard variety with years of consistent winning. Good form. Very worthwhile. Good for cutting. Root, .25

**LITTLE PRINCE** (87), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pure light yellow of fine form. Consistently small. Completes nicely to the stem. Bush growth good. Profuse. Root, \$1.00; Pot Root, .75; Plant, .50

**MRS. J. TELFER** (Australia 87), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. White with a slight yellowish cast. Almost a perfect ball. Perfect centers. Some tendency to burn in early season. Has won many prizes. Root, .50; Pot Root, .50

**PINK DUCHESS** (Wasser 85), 1942, Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Lilac rose of ideal size with petals quilled and with good centers. Has won many prizes. Very good. Root, \$2.00; Pot Root, \$1.50; Plant, \$1.00

**REGINALD** (Australia 86), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A fine Burgundy red of ideal size and finest form. A leader in its class. Rugged bush. Root, .35

**SHERRY.** See Cut Flower Pompons.

## POMPON DAHLIAS

### Cut Flower Varieties

**BOB WHITE** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 2 ft. Milk white, with a cast of yellow when opening. Low spreading bush and long stems, ideal for cutting, bedding and exhibiting. Root, .35

**CHITA** (Dahliadel 85), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush 3 ft. Pure canary yellow. Profuse, and blooms keep well. A little beauty. Not temperamental. Root, .50

**DEE DEE** (Estes 84), Bloom 2, Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A pale lilac which ordinarily runs too large for exhibition but fine for cutting. Nice for home use because of its color. Root, .35

**EDITH MUELLER** (Mueller-Badetty 85), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush 3 ft. A bright soft apricot suffused peach red. Much in demand as a cut flower. Root, .25

## POMPON DAHLIAS—Cont'd

### Cut Flower Varieties

**GERTRUDE** (Salbach 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Bright glowing carmine of good form on strong stems. One of the best bright reds to date. Root, .35

**GOLDILOCKS** (Seal 85), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Gold deepening at centers. Flowers well formed. Good for cutting. Root, .25

**HELEN ANITA** (85), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A beautiful lilac with a lighter reverse and white center. Very attractive and good for cutting. Root, .25

**HONEY.** See Exhibition Pompons.

**JOE FETTE** (Boston 83), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. A very good pure white with good stems for cutting. Blooms early. In demand for florist use. Root, .25

**LITTLE DAVID** (Twichett 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Russet orange of almost perfect form. Blooms freely and fine for both cutting and exhibiting. Root, .25

**LITTLE EDITH.** See Exhibition Pompons.

**MARY MUNNS** (Bolsa 85), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. One of the best in phlox or mallow purple. Good for exhibition or cutting. Root, .25

**MIKE** (Boston 84), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Bright burnt orange, shading lighter at the outer petals. Attractive and jutting with blooms. Root, .25

**MORNING MIST** (Badetty 85), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. White tipped lavender and rosy lavender at center. Some flowers a little large, but very popular. A fine cut flower with long stems. Root, .25

**REGINALD.** See Exhibition Pompons.

**ROSALIE** (Sanhican 85), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush 3 ft. Splendid cut flower. Ivory white in color. Stems good and fine bush growth. Prolific. Root, .25

**SHERRY** (85), Bloom 2, Bush  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. A deep purple, nearly round and very attractive. Occasionally may come oversize. Bush sturdy, and a very popular variety. Root, .35

**SNOWCLAD** (Dreer 80), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. A free, early blooming standard white Pom. Excellent cut flower. Root, .25

**SUNNY DAYBREAK** (Keynes 85), Bloom  $1\frac{3}{4}$ , Bush 3 ft. Lemon yellow, heavily tipped cardinal. Flowers of good form. Root, .25

**YELLOW GEM** (McWhirter 84), Bloom  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , Bush 3 ft. Clear canary yellow of fine form. Old, but still a good cut flower. Root, .25



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## ABBREVIATION INDICATING CLASSIFICATION TYPE OF FLOWER

An—Anemone	ID—Informal Decorative
Ba—Ball	Dwf—Dwarf
Coll—Collarette	M—Miniature
IC—Incurved Cactus	O—Orchid Flowering
StC—Straight Cactus	P—Peony
SC—Semi-Cactus	Pom—Pompon
FD—Formal Decorative	S—Single

## COLOR

- Bi—Bi-color**, two distinct clear and separate colors on the face of the floral rays; tricolors are included.
- Bl—Blended**, no clearly distinct color, but two or more intermingled colors which may contrast or harmonize. A single color shading lighter does not constitute a blend.
- Var—Variegated**, two or more distinct colors on the face of the floral rays. These colors contrasting with the ground color being arranged in dots, flecks, splashes or narrow lines.
- L—Lavender**, mauve, mallow pink, Phlox pink, lilac.
- Or—Orange**, buff, russet, copper, apricot, coral red, bronze, but not orange red hues that contain more red than orange.
- Pi—Pink**, cameo, salmon, rose, old rose, violet rose, tyrian rose.
- Pu—Purple**, violet, rosy magenta, purple reds, amaranth purple.
- R—Red**, crimson, scarlet, cardinal, carmine, garnet, maroon.
- W—White**, including ivory and cream.
- Y—Yellow**, straw, sulphur, lemon, primrose, apricot yellow, golden yellow.

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Page	Root	Pot	Plant
16 Adele Henderson—FD Bl Y & pink	...	...	\$1.50
9 Adolf Mayer—ID or SC Black red	.75	.50	.50
18 A. G. Goodacre—FD Bi Yel. & W	2.00	...	1.00
11 Alice May—ID White	1.00	.75	.50
7 All-American—SC Bl Red & Or	3.00	2.25	1.50
3 Almina—SC or StC Lemon yellow	...	...	5.00
8 Amelia Earhart—SC Orange buff	1.00	.75	.50
6 American Purity—SC White	1.00	.75	...
17 American Victory—FD Oxblood red	1.00	.75	.50
11 America's Sweetheart—ID Yellow	.75	.50	.50
6 Andre Csizik—SC Lilac & rose	.50	...	...
15 Anna Benedict—ID Red garnet	.35	...	...
10 Arelda Lloyd—ID Yellow	.35	...	...
12 Baker's Best—ID Sulphur yellow	5.00	3.50	2.00
7 Ballego's Surprise—SC White	...	...	.50
4 Ballerina—StC Orange & peach	.75	.50	.50
15 Bandoeng—ID Orange	.50	...	...
18 Barbarosa—FD Bright scarlet	3.00	2.25	1.50
11 Bess Smith—ID White	7.50	5.00	3.50
6 Bette Davis—SC Rosy lavender	1.00	...	.50
18 Blue Jersey—FD Lavender pink	.50	...	...
17 Blue River—FD Lavender mauve	.50	...	...
13 Burgundy—ID True violet purple	.75	...	...
12 California Idol—ID Lemon yellow	.75	.50	.50
4 Capt. Cedarquist—StC Salmon Or	1.00	...	...
10 Carl G. Dahl—ID Bl Buff & red	1.00	.75	.50
7 Charmer—ID Yellow	.35	...	...
9 Cherokee Brave—ID Oxblood red	1.00	.75	.50
12 Cherokee Rose—ID Lav. & rose	.75	.50	.50
9 City of Cleveland—ID Red orange	.35	...	...
11 Clara Barton—ID Lavender	.35	...	...
17 Class—FD Sulphur yellow	2.00	...	1.00
10 Colin Kelly, Jr.—ID Phlox pink	...	...	3.50
7 Columbia—SC Gold sulf. peach	5.00	...	2.00
Confucius—SC Oriental red	3.00	2.25	...
7 Consul Gen. Quist—SC Bl Pi & Y	1.00	.75	.50
7 Corinne Marcella—SC Bl Or & Pi	...	2.25	1.50
17 Cossack—FD Deep cardinal	.35	...	...
Crowning Glory—IC Mallow pink	...	...	1.50
10 Dahliaum—ID Amber & gold	1.50	1.00	.75
17 Darcy Sainsbury—FD White	.75	.50	.50
15 Dean Anderson—ID Henna & red	...	...	1.00
18 Deep Purple—FD True purple	...	...	1.00
17 DeMolay—FD Velvety crimson	2.00	1.50	1.00
17 Dixie's Wine Dot—ID Var W & Pu	7.50	5.00	3.50
5 Dominant—IC Pink	.75	.50	.50
18 Dorothy Geer—FD Violet rose	3.00	2.25	1.50
6 Dorothy Lamour—StC or SC Orange	3.00	2.25	1.50
15 Dr. Danner—ID Bl Red, buff rev.	3.00	2.25	1.50
4 Dr. Helmuth Spat—StC Lilac	.35	...	...
4 Dulcinea—StC Rose red	.50	.50	...
Dwight W. Morrow—ID Crimson R	.75	.50	...
3 Edgar A. Guest—SC or ID Y. NET	...	...	5.00
4 Ella May—StC Rhodamine purple	.35	...	...
7 Enkari Prima—SC Pi or Bl Salm. & Y	1.00	.75	.50
7 Evelyn Chandler—SC Orange	1.50	1.00	.75

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12 Eventide—ID True purple	1.50	...	.75
6 Figaro—SC Var Yel. & crimson	1.50	1.00	.75
5 Flash—IC or SC Bi Red & white	1.00	.75	.50
12 Forest Fire—ID Bl Yel. & scarlet	.50	...	...
16 Francis Larocca—FD Sulphur yel.	.25	...	...
4 Frau Ida Mansfield—StC Yellow	...	.50	.50
6 Frau O. Bracht—SC or C Light Y	.75	...	.50
12 Freckles—ID Var Yellow & red	.75	.50	.50
13 Freda George—ID Bl Y suf. rose	...	...	.50
5 Gail Keppel—IC Bl Rose & yellow	...	...	3.00
3 Gaylord Ballay—ID Pure white	...	...	7.50
Geneva Surprise—FD Orange	.75	...	.50
11 Ginger Rogers—ID Deep sulphur Y	...	...	1.50
15 Glamour—ID Purple veined violet	1.50	1.00	.75
G. M. C.—ID Amaranth red	2.00	...	...
10 Golden Beauty—ID Orange & yellow	.75	...	...
16 Golden Bounty—FD Soft lemon yel.	.50	...	...
13 Golden Prince—ID Or, gold center	.50	...	...
5 Golden Standard—IC Orange & buff	.50	...	...
14 Goodnight—ID Oxblood red	.75	.50	.50
18 Grace—FD Bl White & lavender	...	...	.50
18 Graf Zeppelin—FD Crystalline W	.35	...	...
6 Greater Glory—SC Bl Pink & yel.	...	...	.50
6 Gretel—SC Soft fiery red	.35	...	...
18 Harvest Moon—FD Clear sulphur Y	.50	...	...
18 Haslerova—FD Var White & purple	.75	.50	.50
5 Hillside Beauty—IC Or & rose	1.50	...	...
4 Hillside Gold—StC Golden yellow	.75	.50	.50
14 Hillside Sunset—ID Golden yellow	1.00	...	...
17 Hon. A. E. Giegack—FD Red	3.00	...	1.50
14 Hunt's Velvet Wonder—ID Purple	.75	...	...
10 Incandescent—ID Bl Buff & rose	.75	...	...
14 Indian Giant—ID Apricot	...	...	3.50
6 Indian Summer—SC Orange buff	3.00	2.25	1.50
4 Irene Dunne—StC Light mauve	7.50	5.00	3.50
10 Jane Cowl—ID Orange & buff	.35	...	...
18 Janine—FD True lavender	2.00	1.50	1.00
6 Jeanette—FD Bi Purple & white	3.00	2.25	1.50
17 Jean Kerr—FD White	.25	...	...
8 Jean Trimbee—SC Petunia purple	.75	.50	.50
18 Jersey Beauty—FD True pink	.35	...	...
4 Jersey Dainty—StC White	.35	...	...
18 Jersey White Beauty—FD White	.50	...	...
8 Jessica Dragonette—SC Bl Pi & Or	.75	.50	...
11 Jimmie Foxx—ID Coppery orange	.75	...	.50
3 John Adams Kernochan—FD Bi R & W	...	...	5.00
15 John W. Sherwood—ID Mauve	6.00	4.50	3.00
9 Josephine G—ID or SC Rose pink	.35	...	...
5 Julius C. Bunge—IC or SC Pink	1.00	.75	.50
8 Kardinal van Rossum—SC Purple	...	...	.50
14 Katie K—ID Pink	1.00	.75	.50
12 Kemp's Radiant Beauty—ID Var Y & R	1.50	1.00	.75
12 Kemp's Violet Wonder—ID Purple	.35	...	...
18 Kentucky—FD Salmon pink	.35	...	...
10 Kentucky Sportsman—ID Bi Y, Or & W	.75	.50	...
12 Kentucky Sun—FD Light lem. yel.	.35	...	...
9 Kilgore's King—ID Bl Rose & yel.	.50	...	...
Kilgore's Lucifer—SC or IC Red	1.50	...	...
16 King David—FD or ID Rich purple	3.00	2.25	1.50
7 Koki—SC Bl Red & buff	1.00	...	.50
Lady Gartmor—ID Dark garnet	...	...	5.00
7 Lady in Red—SC Bright yel. R.	3.00	2.25	1.50
14 Lady Morton Smith—ID Coral red	2.00	1.50	1.00
7 Laetare—SC Bl Yellow & red	.50	.50	...
6 Limelight—SC Soft sulphur yellow	.75	...	...
18 Link's Blue Triumph—FD Mauve	1.00	.75	...
13 Link's White Majesty—ID White	1.50	...	...
Lois Walcher—FD Bi Purple & W	1.00	.75	.50
11 Lord of Autumn—ID Lemon yel.	1.00	.75	.50
9 Lynn Fontanne—ID or SC Scarlet	...	...	1.50
Maestro—ID or SC Reddish purple	1.00	...	...
8 Maffie—SC Intense carmine red	2.50	2.00	1.25
Magna Charta—ID Deep old rose	...	...	7.50
12 Maid Marion—ID Bl Yel. & pink	3.00	2.25	1.50
15 Man O'War—ID Dark velvety red	.75	.50	.50
15 Margaret W. Wilson—ID Bl W & L	.35	...	...
15 Margrace—ID Cardinal	.50	...	...
6 Marie O'Keefe—SC Or chrome & Y	5.00	...	2.00
4 Marietta E.—StC Canary yellow	.75	.50	...
7 Marjorie Spencer—SC Pink	2.00	...	...
16 Mary Ellen—FD Bright mauve	.50	...	...
16 Maryland Glory—FD Crimson red	.35	...	...
8 Mary Lynn Dudley—SC Oxblood	2.00	1.50	1.00
8 Mary Retzer—SC Lavender	.50	...	...
4 Mary Taylor—StC or IC Bl Y & Pi	1.00	.75	.50
7 Michigan Radiance—SC Or & peach	1.00	.75	...
9 Michigan White—ID or SC White	1.00	...	.50
12 Milton J. Cross—ID Lemon yellow	.50	...	...
14 Minnora—ID Bl Apricot & rose	.35	...	...
8 Miss Elsie Jane—SC Bl Pi & lav.	.50	...	...





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12 Miss Englewood—ID Deep crimson	.75	...	...
7 Miss Glory—SC Yel. suf. apricot	.50	...	...
5 Miss Ohio—IC Lilac suf. rose	.75	.50	.50
5 Miss Wahroonga—IC Oxblood red	1.00	.75	...
5 Mme. C. Jussiant—IC Soft violet	.75	...	.50
3 Mme. X—SC Oxblood	1.00	...	...
7 Model 999—SC Fiery red	.75	.50	...
16 Monarch of the East—FD Or&yel.	.75	.50	...
3 Mother Koenig—ID Bl Pi & Y NET	...	...	5.00
12 Mother Maytrott—ID White	...	...	.75
14 Mother's Day—ID Creamy white	2.00	...	1.00
17 Mrs. Bradley Geist—FD White	1.00	.75	...
14 Mrs. Geo. LeBoutillier—ID Red	.50	...	...
4 Mrs. Herbert O'Connor—StC Rose Pi	.75	...	.50
16 Mrs. I. de Ver Warner—FD Lilac	.35	...	...
17 Mrs. James Albin—FD Lemon yel.	.75	.50	...
Mrs. Thos. A. Edison—ID Red	...	...	2.00
12 Mrs. W. Keene—ID Light yellow	2.00	1.50	1.00
13 Mrs. Wm. S. Knudsen—ID White	.50	...	...
13 Murphy's Masterpiece—ID Red	...	...	.50
5 Nancy Ann Mitchell—IC Scarlet	1.50	1.00	.75
3 Nation's Pride—ID Bl Or & pink	...	...	5.00
10 Noel Marvin—ID Amber Y & red	1.50	...	...
12 Norma Morton—ID Bl Yel. & red	1.00	.75	.50
12 Oakleigh Monarch—FD Bright red	.75	...	...
17 Omar Khayyam—FD Bl Red & or.	.50	...	...
11 Opal—ID Bl Salmon rose & yel.	.75	.50	.50
4 Orange Princess—StC Reddish Or	...	...	1.50
Peace—ID White	.75	...	...
8 Peach Dawn—SC Flesh & rose	3.00	2.25	1.50
13 Pearl Harbor—ID Var Lav. & pur.	7.50	...	3.50
Peppermint Candy—ID or SC Var R&W	.50	...	...
18 Phantom—FD Bl Purple & white	.75	.50	.50
13 Pink Elephant—ID Deep rose pink	5.00	3.50	2.00
10 Pink Giant—ID Bright Tyrian Pink	1.00	.75	.50
13 Pink Josephine—ID Lavender	1.00	.75	.50
13 Pink Profusion—FD Salm. & rose	3.00	2.25	1.50
17 Pius XI—FD Bl Yellow tipped W	.50	...	...
10 Premier's Winsome—ID Mallow Pi	1.00	...	.50
13 Pride of Austinburg—ID Bl Or&Pi	.50	...	...
9 Producer—ID Or yellow suf. red	1.00	.75	...
10 Progress—ID Soft purple	1.00	.75	...
16 Purple Mist—FD Rhodamine Pu	.75	.50	...
6 Pygmalion—SC or IC Bl Rose&gold	...	...	1.00
Queen City—FD Soft cherry red	.50	...	...
16 Red Salute—FD Cardinal red	.50	.50	.50
5 Red Spider—IC Deep crimson	.50	...	...
5 Regalia—IC Purple, lighter rev.	3.00	...	1.50
32 Rhythm—IC Bl Cameo, rose & yel.	7.50	5.00	3.50
14 Rita Wells—ID or SC Bl Pi & buff	1.50	1.00	.75
15 Robert Emmet—ID Bright cardinal	.35	...	...
12 Robert L. Ritley—ID Lilac rose	...	...	.75
3 Roselyn Straight—SC Or suf. peach	...	...	7.50
6 Roulette—SC Amaranth pink & W	1.00	.75	.50
15 Royal Pennant—ID True purple	.75	...	...
5 Royal Purchase—IC Straw yellow	.50	...	...
15 Rudolf's Giant—ID Orange & buff	1.00	.75	...
17 Ruth Nichols—FD Phlox pink	2.00	1.50	1.00
4 Saarland's Heimkehr—StC Rose Pi	.75	.50	...
14 San Francisco—ID Shrimp pink	1.00	...	...
16 Sanhican's Cameo—FD Mal. pink	.35	...	...
Santa Claus—ID Bl Red tipped W	...	...	2.00
3 Sarett's Pink Flamingo—IC Rose	...	...	7.50
6 Satan—SC Scarlet	.50	...	...
3 Sherwood's Peach—ID Or apricot	...	...	7.50
11 Silver Lady—ID Bl white & lav.	1.00	.75	.50
4 Snowball—StC or SC Pure white	...	1.50	1.00
5 Snowcrest—IC Pure white	2.00	1.50	1.00
5 Son of Satan—IC or SC Scarlet	.75	.50	...
Southern Thoroughbred—SC Mauve	...	...	3.50
5 Stalin—IC Bright scarlet	5.00	3.50	2.00
5 Stephen Foster—IC Buff suf. red	5.00	...	2.00
16 Sultan of Hillcrest—FD Y & rose	.50	...	...
14 Sunrays—ID Orange suf. peach	1.00	.75	.50
6 Sun Tan—SC Orange chrome	5.00	...	2.00
1 The Dragon—ID Apricot suf. rose	10.00	...	5.00
18 The Governor—FD Sulphur yellow	1.00	.75	.50
4 The Ohioan—StC Spectrum red	.75	.50	...
5 The Ranger—IC Bl Purple & white	...	...	2.00
The Real Glory—FD Pure white	...	...	.75
13 The Universe—ID Bright garnet	.50	...	...
18 The World—FD Deep rosy mag.	.35	...	...
16 Thos. A. Edison—FD Royal purple	.50	...	...
9 Top-Flight—SC or ID Crimson	5.00	3.50	2.00
15 Tower's Empire—ID Deep gold. Y	.75	.50	.50
8 Treasure Chest—SC Y suf. coral	.50	...	...
17 Victory—FD Rose pink suf. gold	1.00	.75	.50
9 Virginia Rute—ID or SC Oxblood	1.50	1.00	.75
13 Virginia Shipley—ID Lemon yel.	1.00	...	.50
16 Volcano—FD Orange flame	1.00	.75	.50

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WAAC—ID Bl Yel. & Salm. rose	...	...	3.50
Wanda Meade—ID Bi Red tip. W	...	...	2.00
14 Watchung Giant—ID Or & amb.Y	.50	...	...
12 Whirlaway—ID Light yellow	3.00	2.25	1.50
12 White Abundance—ID Ivory white	.50	...	...
16 White Prolific—FD White	.35	...	...
12 White Winner—ID White	2.00	1.50	1.00
11 White Wonder—ID White	.35	...	...
7 Wings—SC Amaranth red	5.00	3.50	2.00
7 Winter Carnival—SC White	7.50	...	3.50
4 Winter Morn—StC Pure white	3.00	2.25	1.50
3 World Event—ID Bright Tyrian Pi	...	...	5.00
11 Wm. R. Shinkfield—ID Orange	2.00	1.50	1.00
5 Yellow Giant—IC Soft lemon yel.	1.00	...	...
8 Yellow Glory—SC Clear lemon yel.	1.50	1.00	.75
8 Yowa Matsuoaka—SC or IC Oxblood	.75	.50	...
6 Zuiwn—SC or StC Crim. carmine	.50	...	...
BALL and PEONY DAHLIAS			
19 Alice J—Ba Violet rose	...	...	.50
19 Charlotte Caldwell—Ba Or & coral	.50	...	...
19 Dusky—M Ba Dark red	2.00	1.50	1.00
2 Jeep—Ba Bl White tipped purple	5.00	3.50	2.00
19 Kentucky Snowball—Ba White	.50	...	...
3 Little Buddy—M Ba Lem. Y. NET	...	...	2.00
19 Mary Helen—Ba Deep canary yel.	.50	...	...
19 Maude Adams—Ba Bl W & lav.	.50	...	...
19 Mozart—Ba Pure white	1.50	1.00	.75
19 Rosy Dawn—Ba Bl Yel. & rose red	1.00	.75	.50
19 Supt. Armhyn—Ba Tyrian rose	.50	...	...
19 Manhattan—P Scarlet red	.50	...	...
ANEMONE DAHLIAS			
21 Hollandia—An Carmine, yel. center	.50	...	...
COLLARETTE DAHLIAS			
Coincident—Coll Bi Red & yellow	...	...	1.50
20 Dad's Favorite—Coll Or & cream	.75	...	...
20 Dark Lustre—Coll Red, W collar	1.00	...	.50
20 Erica—Coll Red, R & W collar	.50	...	...
20 Fandango—Coll Red, Y & R collar	1.00	...	.50
20 Fille—Coll Yellow, Y collar	.50	...	...
20 Frank Harris—Coll Red, W collar	.50	...	...
20 Mitzi—Coll Red, yellow & white	.50	...	...
20 Orangeade—Coll Or, Or collar	2.00	...	1.00
3 Red Delight—Coll Red, Y collar	...	...	2.00
20 Saturn—Coll Lemon Y, Y collar	1.00	...	.50
20 Sparkle—Coll Pure W, W collar	2.00	1.50	1.00
20 Tribune—Coll Red, W & R collar	.50	...	...
ORCHID FLOWERING DAHLIAS			
20 Buttercup—O Clear yellow	.35	...	...
20 Collegiate—O Tan, garnet reverse	.50	...	...
20 Dahlidel Twinkle—O White & lav.	.35	...	...
20 Dahlidel Whisper—O Y, red rev.	...	...	.50
20 Everest—O Pure white	...	...	.50
20 Guiding Star—O Rich lemon yel.	.50	...	...
20 Imp—O Clear lemon yellow	.50	...	...
20 Ivory Gem—O Ivory white	.50	...	...
20 Lone Star—O Yellow & purple	.35	...	...
SINGLE DAHLIAS			
21 Ami Barillet—M S Deep oxblood R	.50	...	...
21 Bachelor Girl—S Clear bright Or	1.00	...	.50
21 Candle Light—S Brilliant yellow	.75	...	...
21 Dahlidel Snow White—S White	.50	...	...
21 Dahlidel Wonder—S Bl Pink & Y	.50	...	...
21 Doc—M S Bi Orange & white	.75	...	...
21 Doris—S Bi Carmine & white	.25	...	...
21 Garnet Poinsettia—S Garnet	.25	...	...
21 James Weller—S Bl Yellow & red	.25	...	...
21 Jersey Maid—MS Bl Yel. & white	1.00	...	.50
21 Little America—S Creamy white	.50	...	...
21 Little Othello—MS Dark crimson	.50	...	...
21 Marshall's Gloria—S Bi W & R	.50	...	...
21 Mia Karsten—S Bi or Bl L & red	.50	...	...
21 Newport Wonder—S Pink	.50	.50	...
21 Pequot Yellow—S Clear yellow	.35	...	...
21 Scarlet Century—S Scarlet	.25	...	...
21 Tango—S Bright orange	.25	...	...
21 Thrill—S Bi Cardinal & white	.75	.50	...
DWARF DAHLIAS			
19 Easter Greeting—Dwf SC White	.50	.50	.50
19 Elsie—Dwf SC Bl Peach red & Y	.50	.50	.50
19 Fred Springer—Dwf FD Scarlet	.35	...	...
19 Gerda—Dwf ID Deep mallow pink	.50	.50	.50
19 Gertrude—Dwf FD Primrose yel.	.50	...	...
19 Kate—Dwf FD Crimson red	.50	.50	...
19 Maria—Dwf SC White	.50	...	...
19 Rosalie—Dwf SC Soft mallow pink	.50	.50	...
19 Ruby Mae—Dwf SC Dark crimson	.50	...	...
19 Ursula—Dwf ID Oxblood red	.50	.50	...
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22 Andries' Orange—M SC or StC Or	.50	...	...
23 Baby Royal—MP or SC Bl Salm. & Y	.25	...	...



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23	Baby Sagamore—M FD Or & peach	.50	.50	...
23	Baby Vamp—M IC Or suf. scarlet	...	...	1.00
22	Betsy T—M StC Lilac, lighter tips	.75	...	...
23	Bishop of Llandaff—M P Scarlet	.35	...	...
	Bright Idea—M FD Bi Red & white	...	...	1.00
23	Buckeye Baby—M FD Or suf. buff	.35	...	...
3	Buddy—M FD Bright carmine NET	...	2.00	...
3	Chico—M ID Scarlet	...	1.50	...
23	Cinnamon Gem—M ID Orange	.75	...	...
23	Clara Clemens—M FD or Ba Bi R&W	.75	.50	.50
3	Coral Blend—M FD Bi Buff & pink	...	...	2.00
22	Daisy Mae—M SC Primrose yel.	3.00	2.25	1.50
22	Dianne—M SC Bl Tan suf. rose	.75	...	...
22	Dubonnet—M SC Oxblood red	.50	...	...
23	Fairy—M FD Mallow pink	.35	...	...
23	Forest Fire, Jr.—M ID Bl Y & R	.50	...	...
22	Geneva Crystal White—MC White	...	...	1.00
23	Jeanie—M ID Bl Yellow & red	1.00	.75	.50
23	Joyce Ann—M FD Light pink	.35	...	...
23	Judy—M FD Reddish orange	.75	...	...
22	Julia S—M C Pink, golden suf.	.50	...	...
	Lakeside Babe—M FD Canary yel.	.50	.50	...
22	Little Diamond—M SC or StC Pink	.75	.50	...
22	Little Jenny—M SC Bl Pink & Y	.35	...	...
22	Little Miss Prim—M StC Pink & Y	.75	...	...
23	Little Nemo—M FD Bi Red & white	.50	...	...
23	Little Susan—M FD Amar. pink	1.00	...	...
22	Margaret Wilkinson—M SC Phlox	.75	...	...
22	Market Jewel—M SC Intense red	.50	...	...
23	McKay's Purity—M FD White	.35	...	...
23	Miss Innocence—M FD White	.75	.50	...
22	Mrs. Clara Cowell—M ID or FD Pu	.75	.50	...
22	Muriel Joyce—M SC Rose red	.75	...	...
22	Nellie Shee—M FD Lavender	3.00	2.25	1.50
22	Nesthakchen—M SC Bl Buff suf. L	.35	...	...
23	Olympic Fire—M P Orange red	.50	...	...
22	Orchid Lady—M FD Phlox pink	.35	...	...
24	Pee Wee—M FD Pink	.75	...	...
24	Peggy Lindley—M FD Golden Or	.75	...	...
22	Petit Prince—M SC Bl Yel. & red	.75	...	...
22	Petit Sonne—M SC Yel. suf. rose	.50	...	...
23	Pink Lassie—M P Soft rose pink	.75	...	...
23	Raleigh—M ID Salmon rose	.35	...	...
23	Rapture—M ID Bl Y suf. rose Pi	.35	...	...
23	Red Eye—MP Bright Or scarlet	.50	...	...
24	Red Head—M FD Orange scarlet	.35	...	...
24	Red Robin—M FD Scarlet red	.75	...	...
24	Rickey—M FD Bi Red & white	1.00	.75	...
22	Sarah—M SC Bl Apricot & rose	...	.75	...
22	Snowsprite—M SC White	.50	...	...
24	Sylvia—M FD Deep carmine	.50	...	...
22	Tin—M SC Soft lemon yellow	.75	.50	.50
24	White Fawn—M FD Pure white	1.50	1.00	.75
24	Yellow Kitten—M FD Light yellow	2.00	1.50	1.00
<b>POMPON DAHLIAS</b>				
24	Atom—Pom Red orange	.35	...	...
24	Betty Anne—Pom Soft rose pink	.25	...	...
24	Betty Malone—Pom Bl or Bi W&Pu	.75	.50	.50
24	Bob White—Pom Milk white	.35	...	...
24	Brass Button—Pom Greenish yel.	...	.50	...
24	Chita—Pom Clear canary yellow	.50	...	...
24	Clover—Pom Bl white suf. pink	1.00	.75	.50
24	Cream Gem—Pom Creamy white	...	...	.50
25	Dee Dee—Pom Pale lilac	.35	...	...
24	Doria—Pom Garnet shaded purple	.35	...	...
24	Ebony—Pom Black red	1.00	.75	.50
25	Edith Mueller—Pom Bl Apricot & R	.25	...	...
24	Eileen—Pom Bi Cream & violet	.75	.50	.50
25	Gertrude—Pom Bright red	.35	...	...
25	Goldilocks—Pom Orange & gold	.25	...	...
24	Grain O'Gold—Pom Clear yellow	.50	...	.50
25	Helen Anita—Pom Lilac, W center	.25	...	...
24	Honey—Pom Bl Yellow edged red	.25	...	...
25	Ila—Pom Oxblood red	.50	.50	.50
25	Joe Fette—Pom White	.25	...	...
25	Johnny—Pom Dark red or maroon	.50	...	...
25	Little David—Pom Russet orange	.25	...	...
25	Little Edith—Pom Bl Y & carmine	.25	...	...
25	Little Prince—Pom Light yellow	1.00	.75	.50
25	Mary Munns—Pom Light mal. Pu	.25	...	...
25	Mike—Pom Burnt orange	.25	...	...
25	Morning Mist—Pom Bl W tip. L	.25	...	...
25	Mrs. J. Telfer—Pom White	.50	.50	...
25	Pink Duchess—Pom Amaranth pink	2.00	1.50	1.00
25	Reginald—Pom Burgundy red	.35	...	...
25	Rosalie—Pom Clear ivory white	.25	...	...
25	Sherry—Pom Violet purple	.35	...	...
25	Snowclad—Pom Pure white	.25	...	...
25	Sunny Daybreak—Pom Bi Y & red	.25	...	...
25	Yellow Gem—Pom Canary yellow	.25	...	...

## DAHLIADEL COLLECTIONS

Positively No Changes in Collections

### SIX POMPON DAHLIAS

COLLECTION A	Value \$1.75	ROOTS, \$1.25
Chita	Little Edith	
Edith Mueller	Mary Munns	
Joe Fette	Morning Mist	

### SIX MINIATURE DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

COLLECTION MD	Value \$2.65	ROOTS, \$2.00
Bishop of Llandaff	Peggy Lindley	
Buckeye Baby	Raleigh	
Fairy	Sylvia	

### SIX MINIATURE CACTUS DAHLIAS

COLLECTION MC	Value \$3.75	ROOTS, \$2.50
Andries' Orange	Little Diamond	
Betsy T	Margaret Wilkinson	
Dubonnet	Snowsprite	

### FIVE GARDEN DAHLIAS

COLLECTION B	Value \$1.75	ROOTS, \$1.25
Arela Lloyd	Josephine G	
Jane Cowl	Kentucky Sun	
	The World	

### SIX CUT FLOWER DAHLIAS

COLLECTION C-F	Value \$2 00	ROOTS, \$1.40
Francis Larocca	Jersey Dainty	
Gretel	Maryland Glory	
Jersey Beauty	White Prolific	

### BEGINNERS' SURPRISE

COLLECTION BS	Value \$4.00 to \$6.00	ROOTS, \$2.50
10 named roots tagged, all different. A good assortment of colors and types. Large flowering varieties only. This collection gains in popularity each year as finer varieties are used in it.		

### FIVE CACTUS DAHLIAS

COLLECTION C	Value \$3.25	ROOTS, \$2.35
Hillside Gold	Mme. C. Jussiant	
Miss Elsie Jane	Saarland's Heimkehr	
	Zuiwar	

### EIGHT EXHIBITION DAHLIAS

COLLECTION E	Value \$4.75	ROOTS, \$3.50
Bandoeng	Milton J. Cross	
Cherokee Rose	Mrs. Geo. LeBoutillier	
Golden Prince	Victory	
Margrace	Watchung Giant	

### FIVE BLUE RIBBON DAHLIAS

COLLECTION F	Value \$7.00	ROOTS, \$5.00
Cherokee Brave	Pink Giant	
King David	Rudolf's Giant	
	The Governor	

## DAHLIADEL PLANT COLLECTIONS

COLLECTION H	Value \$6.00	12 PLANTS, \$4.50
YOUR CHOICE OF ANY		8 PLANTS, \$3.00
YOUR CHOICE OF ANY		4 PLANTS, \$1.50

Alice May	Katie K
Carl G. Dahl	Lord of Autumn
Cherokee Brave	Norma Morton
Cherokee Rose	Opal
Freckles	Pink Giant
Hillside Gold	The Governor

COLLECTION I	Value \$7.25	PLANTS, \$5.00
DeMolay	King David	
Dorothy Geer	Mrs. W. Keene	
Glamour	Peach Dawn	

See Notice on Green Plant Shipments, Page 31

# DAHLIADEL RECOMMENDATIONS

## for your Victory Garden

If you were at Dahlia del and asked me to check a list of the most satisfactory varieties of dahlias for you to grow, you would probably say you wanted varieties that are not temperamental. Then you would ask for those easy to grow, that produce plenty of flowers good for cutting, house decoration, and exhibition—oh yes, you would want some of the big ones too that will be the envy of the neighborhood. Well, here they are.

With this table of recommended varieties you can pick the types and colors you like most. Where there is more than one, the top variety is the newer and likewise the higher priced one. Practically all of the 186 varieties have won prizes at Shows or Trial Grounds, and will do it again if properly grown and exhibited.

	WHITE	YELLOW	ORANGE	RED	PINK	LA VENDER	PURPLE	BLENDED	BI-COLOR & VARIEGATED
St C	Winter Morn Jersey Dainty	Hillside Gold Marietta E	Dorothy Lamour Ballerina	The Ohioan Zuinn	Mrs. H. O'Connor Saar Heimkehr	Dr. Helmuth Spat	Ella May	Mary Taylor	
IC	Snowcrest	Yellow Giant Royal Purchase	Stephen Foster Golden Standard	Stalin Nancy A. Mitchell	S. Pink Flamingo Dominant	Mme. C. Jussiant Miss Ohio	Regalia	Rhythm	Flash-Bi
S-C	Winter Carnival Ball Surprise American Purity	Almina Yellow Glory Limelight	Sun Tan Indian Summer Evelyn Chandler	Wings Top-Flight Lady in Red Maffie	Peach Dawn Marjorie Spencer Roulette	Mary Retzer Bette Davis	Jean Trimbee	Corinne Marcella All-American Consul Gen. Quist Miss Elsie Jane	
ID	Bess Smith White Winner Alice May	Baker's Best Mrs. W. Keene Lord of Autumn California Idol Arelida Lloyd	The Dragon Dahlia mums Sunrays Bandoeng Jane Cowl	Virginia Rute Cherokee Brave Adolf Mayer Margrace Anna Benedict	World Event Pink Elephant Premier's Winsome Pink Giant Katie K	John W. Sherwood Cherokee Rose	Glamour Progress Royal Pennant Hunt's V. Wonder	Norma Morton Silver Lady Carl G. Dahl Freda George	Dixie's W. Dot-Var Kemp's R. Beauty- Var Freckles-Var Ky. Sportsman-Bi
FD	Darcy Sainsbury Jersey W. Beauty	The Governor Mrs. Jas. Albin Kentucky Sun	Volcano Sultan of Hillcrest	Barbarosa DeMolay Red Salute	Dorothy Geer Victory Jersey Beauty	Ruth Nichols Blue River Blue Jersey	King David Purple Mist Thos. A. Edison	Jeanne Maude Adams	Jeanette-Bi Lois Walcher-Bi Haslerova-Var
Ba	Mozart Ky. Snowball	Little Buddy Mary Helen	Char. Caldwell	Dusky		Supt. Amrthyn			
MC	Snowsprite	Tip	Andries' Orange	Dubonnet	Little Diamond	Betsy T			
MD	White Fawn Miss Innocence	Yellow Kitten	Baby Sagamore Buckeye Baby	Red Robin Buddy	Little Susan Pink Lassie-P	Fairy Orchid Lady	Mrs. Clara Cowell	Jeanie Rapture	Rickey-Bi Little Nemo-Bi
Pom	Mrs. J. Telfer Bob White Joe Fette	Little Prince Chita Grain O'Gold	Atom Little David	Ebony Ila Reginald	Pink Duchess Betty Anne	Mary Munns	Sherry	Betty Malone Morning Mist Honey	Eileen-Bi
S	Little America Dahl. Snow White	Candle Light Pequet Yellow	Bachelor Girl	Garnet Poinsettia Scarlet Century	Newport Wonder			Mia Karsten James Weller	Jersey Maid-Bi Thrill-Bi Marshall Gloria-Bi
Coll	Sparkle	Saturn	Orangeade	Dark Lustre Tribune		Mitzi			
O	Ivory Gem Everest	Imp Guiding Star		Collegiate				Dahl. Twinkle	



## FREE ROOT OFFER DISCONTINUED

We regret that, owing to present conditions, we find it necessary to discontinue our Free Root Offer.

## TERMS AND DELIVERY

Orders will be filled with strong, field-grown root divisions unless pot roots, green plants or rooted cuttings are specified. We will notify you if unable to supply any variety, as we rarely substitute without instructions to do so. Kindly mention whether or not substitution is desired.

## QUANTITY DISCOUNT ON ROOTS, POT ROOTS, PLANTS AND ROOTED CUTTINGS

Three of any one variety—less 10%  
Six of any one variety—less 20%  
Ten of any one variety—less 25%

The above quantity discounts do not apply to Special Offers or Collections.

**CASH WITH ORDER.** Remit by stamps, check, money order or cash by registered mail. **Do not send cash by mail unless you have it registered.** Root orders will be shipped according to the growing season of the customer, which in most cases is between April 15th and July 1st. Shipment is prepaid and usually sent by Parcel Post. On C.O.D. shipments the customer pays the C.O.D. charges. We pay all regular postage.

## DAHLIA GROWERS' SUPPLIES

**POTASH (Muriate) or POTASH (Sulphate).** To use in making up your own mixture. 4 lbs. postpaid including 4th zone 55¢; add 10¢ for each zone beyond 4th. 8 lbs. for \$1.00 postpaid, 4th zone; add 20¢ for each zone beyond 4th.

**DAHLIADEL DIP.** A mixture of Sulphur, Talc, and Gypsum for dipping cut portions of dahlia roots when dividing. 1 3/4 lbs. for 40¢; 4 lbs. for 70¢, postpaid 4th zone; add 5¢ or 10¢ respectively for each zone beyond 4th.

**PYRETHRUM SOAP.** A non-poisonous insecticide effective on most insect life and not injurious to animals or plants. Will not burn foliage or buds. A desirable spray for aphids and for thrips and leafhoppers when used with Black Leaf Forty. Four ounces make 4 to 5 gallons of spray. Postpaid, including the 4th zone, 4 oz., 60¢ 8 oz., \$1.00; quart, \$2.50; gal., \$8.00.

**BLACK LEAF FORTY (Nicotine Sulphate).** A concentrated solution for aphids, thrips, leafhoppers and red spider. Oz., 40¢; 5 ozs., \$1.10; lb., \$2.50 Postpaid.

**WOOD TREE LABELS.** 5/8 x 3 1/2" iron wired. Painted—60¢ per 100, \$3.50 per 1000. Plain (not painted)—50¢ per 100; \$3.00 per 1000; postpaid, including 4th zone.

**WOOD PLANT LABELS.** 5/8 x 10". Painted—85¢ per 100; \$1.70 per 250; \$6.50 per 1000. Plain (not painted)—75¢ per 100; \$1.50 per 250; \$5.50 per 1000.

**SPECIAL DAHLIA PRUNER KNIFE.** An inexpensive knife with a good blade suitable for dividing roots and cutting blooms. Available in Spear Blade only. Postpaid, 40¢ 2 for 65¢.

**MODERN DAHLIA CULTURE**—By W. H. Waite. Written to meet the needs of the novice and to interest the expert, 126 pages of clear type, well illustrated. Cloth binding. \$1.50 postpaid.

## TRIAL GROUND SCORE SHEETS

100 sheets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$ .50
250 sheets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.00

**DAHLIADEL SCORE SHEETS,** same as A.D.S. in price and scoring table but with tabulation for 5 years garden records. Sample sheets on request.

**CORN BORER DUST (Nicotine Bentonite Dust.)** Owing to restrictions on the use of rotenone, we are making a nicotine dust according to the latest recommendations of the N. J. Experiment Station, which has a 4% actual nicotine content with wetting agent added. Four to five applications should be made at five to six day intervals, starting at the time of the first eggs' hatching. Five pounds should take care of 100 to 150 dahlia bushes for four applications (size of bush will vary amount needed). Directions with each package. 5 lbs., postpaid, including 4th zone, \$2.50; add 10¢ for each zone beyond 4th; 25 lbs., express collect, \$7.50.

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ON YOUR RECOMMENDATION WE WILL BE GLAD TO SEND OUR CATALOG  
TO YOUR FRIENDS WHO ARE REALLY INTERESTED IN DAHLIAS

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## DAHLIADEL NURSERIES

### GUARANTEE

All dahlia Roots, Pot Roots, Plants and Rooted Cuttings are guaranteed healthy and true to name to the extent of replacement with true stock. Roots or pot roots that fail to start in three weeks will be replaced if returned. Satisfaction and safe delivery guaranteed.

### NOTICE ON GREEN PLANT AND ROOTED CUTTING SHIPMENTS

Plants will be shipped from April 15th to July 15th, while Rooted Cuttings can be shipped 2 weeks earlier but neither can be sent C. O. D., as this causes delay. When roots and plants are ordered together, roots will be held and shipped with the plants unless otherwise specified. 25 cents must be included with all plant and rooted cutting orders to cover Special Delivery except where there is no Special Delivery service at post office of destination; in which case, send 15 cents for Special Handling. We pay all regular postage. We do not guarantee safe delivery unless plants or rooted cuttings are shipped as above.

For the Duration, while Victory Garden Fertilizer is sold for food production, why not use Bone Meal and Potash, or substitute Wood Ashes for Potash? Wonderful dahlias have been grown with this old stand-by and you can do it again. Bone Meal can be furnished at the same price as Potash. Prices on larger quantities on request.

### AMARYLLIS

Easily grown gorgeous lily-like flowers that will bring you joy in your home. These Amaryllis are offered only in a mixture from a splendid strain of hybrids in white, pink and red. Available all through the winter and early Spring. Usually grown for winter blooms in pots indoors. Each 60¢; 4 Bulbs for \$2.00

### HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS

We have selected a representative list of Chrysanthemums noted for their vigorous growth and their adaptability to general garden conditions. We grow these varieties in quantities for the cut flower market following dahlias, and have found some of the greenhouse varieties very satisfactory in the garden.

Chrysanthemums for garden use need not be grown in rows, except where plants are desired primarily for cutting. They can be used in shrub borders in combination with perennials or late-flowering annuals, and planted 8 inches apart for this purpose. Varieties of varying height can be obtained to make colorful masses in the autumn landscape.

Culture is simple. Plant them in ordinary garden soil, giving them lots of water, and fertilize with a complete fertilizer once or twice during the growing season. For the black aphid, their worst pest, use a pyrethrum nicotine spray, the same as recommended for dahlias.

### LARGE FLOWERING

AGLOW, Deep bright orange Bloom 2½, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 25
AVALANCHE, Large full white Bloom 3-4, Bush 1½ ft.	Sept. 15
BURGUNDY, Soft amaranth red Bloom 2, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 15
CHESTNUT BURR, Rust red & tan Bloom 2, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 17
CYDONIA, Reddish burnt orange Bloom 2, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 20
EUGENE A. WANDER, Golden yellow Bloom 4, Bush 1¼ ft.	Sept. 15
GLEAM O'GOLD, Golden yellow Bloom 2, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 5
GOBLIN, Golden orange Bloom 1½, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 25
GOLDEN CHARM, Cadmium yellow Bloom 2, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 15
JEAN CUMMING, White suf. pink Bloom 2½, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 25
JEAN TREADWAY, Cameo pink Bloom 2½, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 20
LAVENDER LADY, Light lavender Bloom 2½, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 20
LILLIAN DOTY, Light mallow pink Bloom 2½, Bush 3½ ft.	Oct. 24
MRS. H. E. KIDDER, Golden yellow Bloom 3, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 25
MRS. P. S. DUPONT III, Peach & buff Bloom 2, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 20
MRS. SAMUEL P. ROTAN, Gold Bloom 2½, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 20
MURILLO, Violet rose Bloom 2, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 17
SEQUOIA, Cinnamon buff Bloom 3, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 20
THE CHIEF, Peach red & apricot Bloom 3, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 28
THE MOOR, Amaranth red Bloom 3, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 20
WHITE DOTY, Pure ivory white Bloom 2, Bush 2½ ft.	Oct. 25

### CUSHION

AMELIA, Bright violet rose Bloom 2, Bush 1 ft.	Sept.
WHITE GULL, White Bloom 1½, Bush 1 ft.	Sept. 15

### POMPON

ETHEL, Reddish bronze Bloom 1¼, Bush 2 ft.	Nov. 1
IRENE, White Bloom 1¼, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 18
JEWEL, Clear lilac Bloom 1¼, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 18
JUDITH ANDERSON, Golden yellow Bloom 1, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 24
OURAY, Dark coppery red Bloom 1¼, Bush 2 ft.	Oct. 25

### SPOON

BUFF SPOON, Cinnamon buff Bloom 3, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 20
JASPER SPOON, Buff & Jasper red Bloom 2, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 20
PINK SPOON, Soft amaranth pink Bloom 3, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 15
YELLOW SPOON, Lemon yellow Bloom 3, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 25

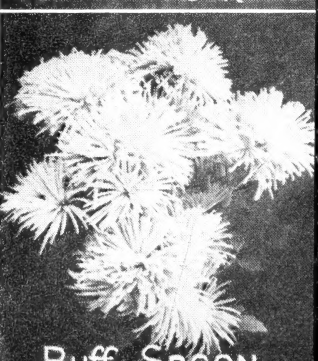
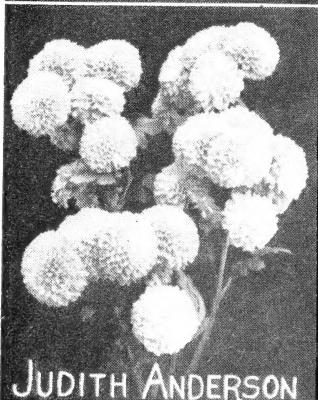
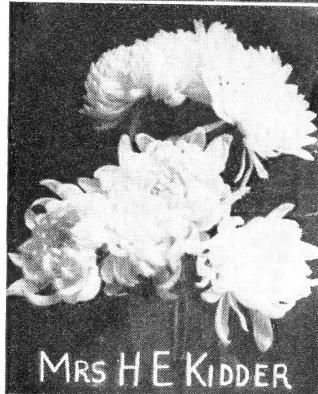
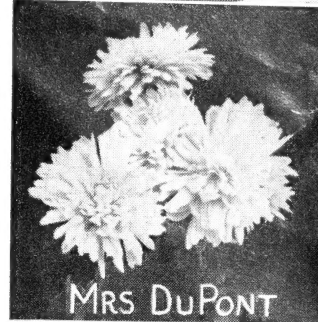
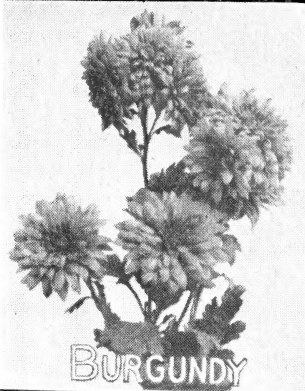
### SINGLE

NJORTH (Spoon), Amaranth pink Bloom 2, Bush 1½ ft.	Sept. 15
SENSATION, Yellow & crimson red Bloom 2½, Bush 1½ ft.	Oct. 18

POT PLANTS—Each, 35¢; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75; any 10 for \$2.50

ROOTED CUTTINGS—Each, 25¢; 3 for 70¢; 6 for \$1.30; any 10 for \$2.00

ROOTED CUTTINGS are individually wrapped in sphagnum moss and grown in this for a short period before shipping, and can be planted in your garden without removing moss or disturbing roots.





**RHYTHM** (Dozier-Dahliadel 86 A-B), 1943, IC, Bloom 8-9x6, Bush 5 ft. Our 1943 sensational introduction that proved its worth doing its share of winnings from California to our Eastern Coast, even in the worst growing season. It has form and exquisite beauty, with its double serrated tips. The color is an unusual cameo pink suffused soft rose, with soft lemon shadings at the base of the petals and center of the flower. It is not one of the "big fellows," but a beautiful dainty flower with a unique form that just appeals to you. This dahlia has been awarded the Derrill W. Hart Memorial Gold Medal, the highest award a dahlia can receive for Trial Ground performance. It scored 85 at Storrs, 85 at East Lansing and 86¼ at West Virginia, where one plant had seventeen flowers on the first day of judging. In 1940 this dahlia was a winner in the Camden and Baltimore Seedling Classes, and won an Achievement Medal in Camden. It did very well at Scranton Trials and Certified at Maryland Trial Grounds. It is a good root maker, and has rugged plant growth. Certainly a variety you don't want to miss.

Root, \$7.50; Pot Root, \$5.00; Plant, \$3.50

## DAHLIA SEED

Sow in flats or frames in early spring in light soil, cover the seed not more than one-fourth inch about the same as you would tomato seed. When first pair of true leaves are well developed transplant into small pots or flats and grow in cool temperature until they can be planted in the garden. Should they get too large pinch back and shift to larger pots giving them room.

**DAHLIA SEEDLINGS** never come true to their parentage, but do usually show some similar characteristics in form, color or bush growth. You cannot grow seedlings of a named variety and produce the same variety.

**CACTUS AND SEMI-CACTUS SEED** (Dahliadel grown). A mixture made from good seed-bearing parents. 20 Seed, \$1.00; 100 Seed, \$5.00

**DECORATIVE SEED** (California grown). A mixture made from good seed-bearing parents. 20 Seed, \$1.00; 100 Seed, \$5.00

**CACTUS AND DECORATIVE SEED** (California grown). Mixed. 20 Seed, \$1.00; 100 Seed, \$5.00

**COLLARETTE SEED** (Dahliadel grown). Saved from our Collarette varieties should produce mostly Collarettes and Singles. 35 Seed, .50; 100 Seed, \$1.00

**MIXED MINIATURE SEED** (Dahliadel grown). A mixture of very fine Decorative, Cactus and Peony type Miniature dahlias. 35 Seed, \$1.00

**ORCHID FLOWERING SEED** (Dahliadel grown). Produces Orchid flowering dahlias consistently for us, with some type and considerable color variations. 35 Seed, .50; 100 Seed, \$1.00

**SINGLE SEED** (Dahliadel grown). Saved from our finest Single dahlias. If you want a mass of mixed colors in your garden, try planting some of these seed. They should be placed close for this effect. 50 Seed, .50

### PART OF OUR FIELD DAY DISPLAY AT DAHLIADEL

We hope to resume our Field Days when the gasoline restrictions are lifted.

